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Births.

AIKEN.—August 13, at her residence, Murrumburrah, the wife of Andrew Aiken, of a son.

BRICK.—August 14, at the residence of her parents, Ballincar-terrace, Palmer-street, Woolloomooloo, the wife of Francis Brick, of Bondi, of a daughter.

ELLIOTT.—August 17, at Pyrmont Bridge Road, Forest Lodge, the wife of Arthur M. Elliott, of a son.

HARRIS.—August 22, at her residence, 28, Alberto-terrace, Mrs. Henry S. Harris, of a son.

OGLE.—August 22, at her residence, 399, Crown-street, Surry Hills, the wife of Thomas Ogle, of New Caledonia, of a daughter.

Marriages.

FYALL—BOURKE.—August 11, at St. Philip's Church, by the Rev. Thomas Harrison, James Grey, eldest son of the late Captain Thomas Fyall, of Melrose, Roxburghshire, Scotland, to Fanny, eldest daughter of the late James Bourke, of Sydney.

HORA—SMALL.—August 16, at Darling-street Wesleyan Chapel, Balmain, by the Rev. W. Moore, Leonard, third son of Henry Whinfield Hora, Camberwell, Surrey, to Florence Elizabeth, eldest daughter of S. Small, Balmain. No cards. London papers please copy.

Deaths.

BISHOP.—August 19, at Thompson's family hotel, George and Goulburn streets, Alexander Bishop, after a long and painful illness, of bronchitis, aged 46 years, leaving a loving wife, five children, and a large circle of friends to mourn their loss. Interred at Waverley cemetery the 21st day of August.

BOHLE.—August 22, at her residence, Pitt-street, Waterloo, Mrs. Alice Bohle, relict of the late Mr. Henry Bohle, of the North-west Province, India, aged 59 years. English Times please copy.

BYRNE.—August 20, at No. 1, Randle-terrace, Enmore Road, Sydney, Thomas Byrne, the beloved husband of Cecilia Byrne, aged 54.

CREASE.—August 15, at her residence, 382, Crown-street, Nellie, eldest and beloved daughter of Mrs. A. Crease, late of Manly Beach.

FISHER.—August 22, at his residence, 328, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst, Henry Fisher, late of Glenmore Distillery, aged 75 years.

GRANT.—August 11, at Bathurst, Frank Allen, youngest son of A. W. and Caroline Grant, aged 3 years and 10 months.

JONES.—August 21, at the residence of her son-in-law, H. C. Humfress, 6, Holdsworth's-terrace, Glenview-street, Paddington, Christina Mary, relict of the late Mr. Charles Jones, in her 58th year.

READ.—August 22, at his late residence, Cedian, Regent-street, Paddington, John Thomas Read, after a long and painful illness, aged 62.

THOMPSON.—August 21, at Sunnymeade, Burwood, the residence of her son, Lindsay G. Thompson, Catherine Anne, widow of the late Captain Thompson, of Liverpool, aged 87 years.

AGENCE HAVAS, 8, Place de la Bourse, Paris.—AGENTS for THE SYDNEY MORNING HERALD, the SYDNEY MAIL, and the ECHO, in France and Belgium.

Advertisements can be received and files of the above newspapers inspected.

London address: AGENCE MITCHELL, 85, Gracechurch-street.

Shipping.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

The Company's steamships under contract with the Victorian Government for the conveyance of H.M. Mails will be despatched from Sydney as under, for SOUTHAMPTON, VENICE, BRINDISI, Egypt, India, China, and Japan, also for Galle, King George's Sound, Adelaide, and Melbourne:—

Steamer.	Tons.	Commander.	Date of Sailing. 1881.
*KAISAR-I-HIND	4023	J. C. Babot...	... Wednesday, August 24, 11 a.m.
BOKHARA	... 2932	J. Orman ...	... September 7, ditto
CATHAY	... 2983	W. M. Robbie	... September 21, ditto
HYDASPES	... 2984	R. H[illegible] ...	... October 7, ditto
VENETIA	... 2726	A. E. Daniell	... October 21, ditto
RAVENNA	... 3372	[illegible] ...	... November 4, ditto.

*Through to Southampton and London direct, via Galle.

From the Company's Wharf at Circular Quay.

The general rates of passage money have been greatly reduced.

Liberal reductions are made in favour of families and large parties.

SPECIAL RETURN TICKETS to Europe are now issued at greatly reduced rates.

N.B.—No third-class or steerage passengers are carried.

For all information apply at the Company's Offices, 247, George-street.

COOPER KIRTON, Agent.

Sydney, August 10, 1881.

PENINSULAR and ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

FOR THE NOVEMBER WOOL SALES.

The S. S. KAISAR-I-HIND will leave Sydney for London on AUGUST 24th, taking wool for the above sales.

For freight apply to

COOPER KIRTON, Agent, 247, George-street.

Sydney, August 5th, 1881.

Wool received at Flood and Co.'s.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

TO PASSENGERS DESIROUS OF AVOIDING THE HEAT AND DISCOMFORT OF THE RED SEA.

OVERLAND ROUTE TO GREAT BRITAIN, THROUGH AMERICA, under contract with New South Wales and New Zealand Governments.

1881.

The magnificent steamships of this line leave Sydney for San Francisco (calling at Auckland and Honolulu) every fourth THURSDAY, at 4 p.m., as under:—

Steamer.	Tons.	Date of Departure.			
AUSTRALIA ...	2737	8th Sept.	29th Dec.	20th Apl '82	
CITY OF NEW YORK	3404	6th Oct.	26th Jan. '82	18th May '82	
ZEALANDIA ...	3240	3rd Nov.	23rd Feb. '82	15th June '82	
CITY OF SYDNEY ...	3400	1st Dec.	23rd Mch '82	6th July '82	

Passengers are booked to any point on the principal Railroad Routes in the United States and Canada, or through to Liverpool, London, or Paris, &c., with special advantages.

Passengers have choice of the unrivalled Atlantic steamships of Cunard, Inman, White Star, and other lines. And ALL first-class passengers are allowed 250 lbs. baggage FREE OF CHARGE.

Tickets are good until used, and allow passengers to stop off as long as they choose, to visit all places of interest in America and Canada. Stop over privileges are also allowed on steamers' tickets for Auckland or Honolulu.

THROUGH FARE TO LONDON.

FIRST CLASS ... ... £66 and upwards.

Time cards, railway maps, and guide books showing all routes to any point in United States may be had on application.

Drafts, payable in gold in San Francisco, issued by the undersigned.

For rates of passage and freight, and all other information, apply to

GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., General Agents, 1, Bent-street, Sydney.

STEAM TO LONDON.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS OF WOOL FOR THE NOVEMBER SALES.

The new steamship

DELCOMYN, 100 A1, 1810 tons register,

will be despatched for the above sales. Cargo is now being received at the "Central" (late Cosmopolitan) Wharf.

GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

STEAM TO LONDON—ORIENT LINE. 1881.

The following Royal Mail Steamships, belonging to the ORIENT STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (LIMITED), and the PACIFIC STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, will leave SYDNEY on the undermentioned dates, for Melbourne, Adelaide, and LONDON, via the SUEZ CANAL, calling at NAPLES:—

Ship.	Tons.	Date.	Ship.	Tons.	Date.
Garonne ...	3871	Aug. 31	Sorata ...	4014	Nov. 23
Lusitania ...	3575	Sept. 14	Cuzco ...	3849	Dec. 7
Liguria ...	4666	Sept. 28	Cotopaxi ...	4028	Dec. 21
Lotos ...	4214	Oct. 12			1882:
Chimborazo ...	3847	Oct. 26	Orient ...	5386	Jan. 4
John Elder ...	4152	Nov. 9			

And the service will be maintained by succeeding steamers at intervals of a fortnight.

Saloon passengers homewards may break the journey at Suez, Port Said, and Naples, going on by succeeding steamer within a month, but failing room then by first subsequent steamer having room.

The Garonne is fitted with refrigerating machinery. The saloon and second-class passengers are provided with fresh fish, milk, and other shore delicacies throughout the voyage.

Fares, to London, 15 to 70 guineas. Suez Canal dues 8s in addition.

Passages from London can be granted in Sydney.

For plans and full particulars, apply to F. GREEN and CO., and ANDERSON, ANDERSON, and CO., Joint Managers of the line; or, to the

General Manager in Australia, G. S. YUILL, 267, George-street.

UNION STEAMSHIP COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND, LIMITED.

Regular communication to all NEW ZEALAND PORTS.

Ship.	Tons.	Commander.	Date of Sailing.
FROM SYDNEY.			
WAKATIPU ...	1796	E. Wheeler ...	About 30th August, via Wellington.
ALBION ...	806	W. Webster ...	31st August, via Auckland.
FROM MELBOURNE.			
ROTOMAHANA	1727	T. Underwood ...	23rd August, via Hobart and Bluff.
TE ANAU ...	1652	M. Carey ...	30th August, via Bluff.

N.B.—The special attention of shippers is directed to the undernoted conditions upon which cargo can only be received by this Company's Steamers, viz.:—

"Should Quarantine restrictions prevail in New Zealand on arrival, the cargo will be placed in hulks or lighters at ship's expense, but merchants' risk, during the pleasure of the Board of Health."

FREDK. W. JACKSON, 26, Pitt-street.

NEW CALEDONIA STEAMSHIP COMPANY

FOR NOUMEA, NEW CALEDONIA.

The S.S. INDIA, 1000 tons, JOHN STOTT, Commander, will be despatched on or about the 30th AUGUST, carrying cargo for above port at the rate of 15s per ton, and free of export wharfage.

Also reduced rates of saloon and steerage passages.

For further particulars apply to

MEYERFELD and CO., 16, Macquarie-place.

QUEENSLAND ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS. STEAM TO LONDON VIA THE SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamers of this Company will be dispatched for London, calling at the Northern Queensland Ports, Batavia, Aden, and Naples, from Moreton Bay, as follows:—

	Tons.	H. P. nominal.	
MERKARA	2971	400	13th September
ROMA	2700	500	11th October
ALMORA	2613	300	8th November.

These Steamers are all of the highest class, are well found, and have splendid passenger accommodation.

Saloon fare to London—70 guineas; second cabin, £40.

Freight for cargo is fixed on most moderate rates, being almost the same as sailing ships.

For particulars apply GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., Agents, 93, Pitt-street, Sydney.

STEAM TO HONGKONG, calling at THURSDAY ISLAND and PORT DARWIN.

THE EASTERN and AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP Co. (Limited).

The powerful steamer BRISBANE, 1700 tons, Robert Craig, commander, will be despatched as above, and calling at TOWNSVILLE and COOKTOWN with passengers only, on SATURDAY, August 27, at noon.

For freight or passage apply to GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., 93, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.

NOTICE TO PASSENGERS.

THE EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP CO. (Ltd.)

The magnificent new steamship CATTERTHUN, Jno. Miller, commander, will leave the Company's Jetty, Smith's Wharf, for Melbourne, on WEDNESDAY, August 24, at 4 p.m.

Intending passengers are invited to inspect the splendid saloon accommodation.

Passage money—Saloon £2

Steerage £1

For further particulars, apply to GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., Agents.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP CO. (Limited).

STEAMER "CATTERTHUN," from CHINA.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

The s.s. Catterthun is now rapidly discharging at Dibbs' Wharf, and consignees are urgently requested to take delivery of their teas as landed, as any remaining on the wharf will be at their risk.

GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., Agents.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

The steamship KENMURE CASTLE, 2500 tons, J. Luck, Commander, will be despatched for Shanghai on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24.

For freight of passage apply to GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO.

MONTHLY LINE OF STEAMERS TO HONGKONG, via BRISBANE, TOWNSVILLE, COOKTOWN, and PORT DARWIN, forwarding goods and passengers at through rates to MANILA, SINGAPORE, and all ports in CHINA and JAPAN.

The magnificent steamship CHARLTON, 1200 tons, Captain Erskine, will be despatched from SYDNEY at an early date.

To be followed by S.S. NELSON, 1100 tons, and other A1 steamers.

For freight, passage, and all particulars, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS and CO., 91, Pitt-street.

STEAM FOR HONGKONG.

The magnificent S.S. MEATH, J. Johnson, commander, will be despatched, as above, from the A. S. N. Co.'s Wharf, on FRIDAY, the 26th instant.

For freight or passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS and CO., 91, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.

The new S.S. NEMESIS will sail from Australian Wharf for MELBOURNE, at 3 p.m., on THURSDAY, 1st September. Early application for freight is necessary. The firm's second new steel steamship will leave Sydney week alternate week, thus forming a complete weekly service from Sydney and Melbourne.

HUDDART, PARKER, and CO., Melbourne, JOHN FRAYER and CO., Sydney.

STEAM to MELBOURNE, BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, and ROCKHAMPTON.

The undersigned will dispatch the STEAMSHIPS (when practicable) as follows, from STRUTH'S WHARF, foot of King-street:—

OFFICES, 7, SPRING-STREET.

FOR MELBOURNE.		
BARRABOOL ...	Chas. Arnold	THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock.
ROB ROY ...	J. R. Clark ...	FRIDAY, August 26.
FOR BRISBANE.		
DERWENT ...	H. B. Bristow.	THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 4.30 o'clock.
KEILAWARRA ...	J. H. South ...	TUESDAY, August 30.
FOR MARYBOROUGH.		
DERWENT ...	H. B. Bristow.	THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 4.30 o'clock.
KEILAWARRA ...	J. H. South ...	TUESDAY, August 30.
FOR ROCKHAMPTON.		
DERWENT ...	H. B. Bristow.	THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 4.30 o'clock.
KEILAWARRA ...	J. H. South ...	TUESDAY, August 30.

Cargo received for the above ports every day. Fore-cabin passengers supplied with bedding and victualled free.

WM. HOWARD SMITH and SONS, 7, Spring-street.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.

GREATLY REDUCED RATES.

The splendid S. S. BARRABOOL, 1600 tons, will leave Struth's Wharf, foot of King-street, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 12 o'clock.

SALOON £2

RETURN £3 10s

FORE CABIN £1

WM. HOWARD SMITH and SONS, 7, Spring-street.

STEAM TO BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, AND ROCKHAMPTON.

The splendid S. S. DERWENT, H. B. Bristow, commander, will leave Struth's Wharf, foot of King-street, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 4.30 o'clock.

WM. HOWARD SMITH and SONS, 7, Spring-street.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS.

Steam to Melbourne at Reduced Rates.

This Company's line of full-powered and well-found steamships are dispatched for Melbourne as follows:—

LY-EE-MOON every TUESDAY, and CITY OF ADELAIDE every SATURDAY.

Fares: Saloon, £2; Return Ticket, £3 15s. Steerage, £1.

Steerage passengers are supplied with bedding and a liberal dietary scale included in passage money. Freights at current rates.

FRED. PHILLIPS, Acting-manager.

A. S. N. Co.'s office, Circular Quay.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

Intend dispatching their steamers as follows, viz.:—

FOR MELBOURNE.—Ly-ee-Moon, this afternoon, Tuesday, at 4.30; and City of Adelaide, Saturday afternoon, at 4.30. Fares: Saloon, £2; return ticket, £3 15s; steerage, £1.

FOR ADELAIDE, VIA NEWCASTLE.—Steamer early.

FOR NOUMEA, NEW CALEDONIA.—City of Melbourne, Friday, at noon.

FOR LEVUKA, FIJI.—Gunga, after arrival of Suez mail steamer, due 27th instant.

QUEENSLAND PORTS:

FOR BRISBANE.—Alexandra, this afternoon, Tuesday, at 3; Leichardt, Thursday afternoon, at 4; and steamer, Saturday afternoon, at 3.

FOR MARYBOROUGH.—Leichardt, Thursday afternoon, at 4.

FOR ROCKHAMPTON.—Leichardt, Thursday afternoon, at 4.

FOR BUNDABERG.—Lady Bowen, from Brisbane, about 25th instant; and Queensland, about 30th instant.

FOR BROADSOUND.—Steamer from Brisbane early.

FOR GLADSTONE.—Queensland, from Brisbane, about 30th instant.

FOR PORT MACKAY.—Alexandra, this afternoon, Tuesday, at 3.

FOR BOWEN, FOR TOWNSVILLE, FOR CAIRNS (TRINITY BAY), FOR PORT DOUGLAS (ISLAND POINT), FOR COOKTOWN WHARF } Alexandra, this afternoon, Tuesday, at 3.

FOR CARDWELL, FOR KEPPEL BAY } Alexandra, this afternoon, Tuesday, at 3.

N.B.—Steerage passengers are victualled and supplied with bedding.

Cargo is now being received for transmission to any of the above ports.

FREDK. PHILLIPS, Acting Manager.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM TO NOUMEA, NEW CALEDONIA.

The Company's powerful mail steamer, CITY OF MELBOURNE, 837 tons, will be dispatched for the above port on FRIDAY, 26th instant, at noon.

For rates of freight and fares apply to FRED. PHILLIPS, Acting-Manager.

A. S. N. Co.'s Office, Circular Quay.

TASMANIAN S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS WILL LEAVE THE TASMANIAN WHARF.

FOR EDEN AND HOBART.—S. TASMAN, THURSDAY, 25th August, at 4 p.m.

FOR EDEN AND LAUNCESTON.—S. ESK, FRIDAY, 2nd September, at 10 a.m.

No cargo received within one hour of sailing.

T. and W. WILLIS, Agents, 15, Pitt-street.

NOTICE TO PASSENGERS ONLY.

Owing to inclemency of weather, the departure of the COREA for Queensland ports has been postponed till 10 a.m. THIS DAY, Tuesday, 23rd instant. No cargo taken.

JAMES BURNS, Macquarie-place.

NEWCASTLE.—STEAM TO NEWCASTLE.

THIS NIGHT, TUESDAY, at 11, the MORPETH.

H. R. N. S. N. Co.'s Wharf, foot of Market-street.

HUNTER RIVER NEW STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM TO NEWCASTLE FROM SYDNEY.

THIS NIGHT, TUESDAY, at 11, the MORPETH.

TO-MORROW NIGHT, WEDNESDAY, at 11, the MAITLAND.

TO-MORROW NIGHT, WEDNESDAY (for cargo only), the LUBRA.

On THURSDAY NIGHT, at 11, the MORPETH.

Goods received for CLARENCE TOWN THIS DAY.

Freight payable in Sydney.

Goods will not be received after 5 p.m.

F. J. THOMAS, Manager.

Offices—foot of Market-street.

NEWCASTLE STEAMSHIP COMPANY, Limited.

STEAM TO NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, and RAYMOND TERRACE.

From LIME-STREET WHARF: THIS NIGHT (TUESDAY), at 11, the COONANBARA.

From SUSSEX-STREET WHARF: On THURSDAY NIGHT, at 11, the COONANBARA.

Cargo received for CLARENCE TOWN THIS DAY. Freight payable in Sydney.

H. D. PORTUS, Manager.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.—All cargo received at LIME-STREET WHARF THIS DAY.

GOODS NOT RECEIVED after 5 p.m.

ILLAWARRA S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS.

WOLLONGONG.—Monday, Tuesday, and Friday, 11 p.m.; Wednesday, 10 a.m.; Friday, 11 a.m. (passengers only).

KIAMA.—Monday, Tuesday, and Friday, 11 p.m.

SHOALHAVEN.—Tuesday and Friday, 11 p.m.

ULLADULLA.—Friday, 11 a.m.; cargo, 10.30 a.m.

CLYDE RIVER.—Friday, 11 a.m.; cargo, 10.30 a.m.

BATEMAN'S BAY.—Friday, 11 a.m.; cargo, 10.30 a.m.

MORUYA.—Monday, 6 p.m.

MERIMBULA.—Wednesday, 10 a.m.; cargo, 9.30 a.m.

TATHRA (for BEGA).—Wednesday, 10 a.m.; cargo, 9.30 a.m.

EDEN (TWOFOLD BAY).—Wednesday, 10 a.m.; cargo, 9.30 a.m.

BERMAGUI.—Wednesday, 10 a.m. (passengers only).

CLARENCE AND RICHMOND RIVERS STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS.

CITY OF GRAFTON, for GRAFTON, THIS NIGHT, at 9.

NEW ENGLAND, for GRAFTON, SATURDAY NIGHT, at 9.

CORAKI, for RICHMOND RIVER, FRIDAY, 4 p.m.

QUEEN OF THE SOUTH, for KEMPSEY, THURSDAY NIGHT, at 9.

JOHN WHITE, Secretary.

Company's Wharf, Sussex-street.

CLARENCE RIVER.

S.S. AUSTRALIAN, on SATURDAY NIGHT, at 9.

S.S. RICHMOND, on MONDAY NIGHT, at 9.

From Market Wharf, foot of Market-street.

Fares—Saloon, 20s; return, 30s; steerage, 10 each way.

Return tickets available by either steamer.

NIPPER and SEE, 129, Sussex-street.

CLARENCE RIVER.

The s.s. RICHMOND will leave the Market Wharf, foot of Market-street, THIS (Tuesday) NIGHT, at 9, having been postponed through the inclemency of the weather.

NIPPER and SEE, 129, Sussex-street.

MANNING RIVER.

The s.s. ROSEDALE (having been POSTPONED through the inclemency of the weather) will leave the Market Wharf, foot of Market-street, THIS DAY (Tuesday) at noon.

NIPPER and SEE, 129, Sussex-street.

RICHMOND RIVER.

The S.S. LISMORE, 500 tons, will leave Russell's Wharf, Sussex-street, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 7 p.m. Has splendid passenger accommodation.

B. B. NICOLL, 9, Sussex-street.

STEAM TO THE BELLINGER RIVER.—The fast and favourite S.S. MANLY, WEDNESDAY, 24th, at 4 p.m., from PATENT SLIP WHARF. All freights payable in Sydney.

G. F. MASON, Agent.

MANNING RIVER.—S.S. PIONEER will leave Caledonian Wharf (weather permitting), TO-MORROW (Wednesday) MORNING, at 8, taking cargo to all parts of the river. Cargo now received.

JOHN RITCHIE.

S. N. CO.'S Steamer DAIRYMAID, for Shellharbour and Gerringong direct, TO-NIGHT, at 6, from Caledonian Wharf. No cargo received after 5.

JOHN RITCHIE, Agent.

PORT MACQUARIE.—The S.S. NE OBLIE will leave the Market Wharf 24 hours after arrival. For freight and passage apply J. BOOTH and CO. All freight payable in Sydney.

MANLY BEACH STEAMERS daily (Saturdays and Sundays excepted).

Dispatched from Sydney, 7.15, 10.15, 11.30, 2.15, 4.45, 6

Woolloomooloo, 10.30, 11.45, 2.30

Manly, 8.10, 8.45, 12, 3.30, 5, 5.30

Return fare, 1s 6d; children, 1s.

Extra trips on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday—from Manly at 9 p.m.; and Sydney, 11.15 p.m.

HUNTER'S HILL & PARRAMATTA STEAMERS.

FROM KING-STREET TO HUNTER'S HILL and GLADESVILLE—7, 9, 10, 11, 12.30, 1, 3, 3.15, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15.

TO COCKATOO, HUNTER'S HILL, and VILLA MARIA—7, 9, 10, 11, 12.30, 1, 3, 3.45, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15.

TO FIVE DOCK and BURWOOD—7.10, 12.30, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15.

TO PARRAMATTA, RYDE, &c.—7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5.5.

FROM PARRAMATTA—7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5.

FROM FIVE DOCK—7.45, 8.30, 11 a.m.; 2.45, 5.15, 6.20.

FROM GLADESVILLE—8, 8.45, 10, 11.5, 12, 2, 3, 4, 5.15, 6, 6.30.

FROM HUNTER'S HILL—7.5, 8.15, 9.5, 10.15, 11.30 a.m.; 12.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.35, 6.15, 7.5, 8.45, 10.15 p.m.

FROM VILLA MARIA—7, 7.45, 8.55, 10, 12, 2, 4, 6, 7, 8.15, 10.

ADDL. FROM FIVE DOCK—Mon., Wed., Sat., 7.15 p.m., calling at all wharfs.

Fares: HUNTER'S HILL—1st cl., 9d; ret., 1s; 2nd cl., 6d; ret., 9d. PARRAMATTA—1st cl., 1s 6d; ret., 2s 6d; 2nd cl., 1s; ret., 1s 6d. Children throughout—ret., 1st cl., 9d.

HUNTER'S HILL and LANE COVE STEAMERS LEAVE

LIME-STREET, at 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 1.15, 2.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15.

LANE COVE, at 8, 8.50, 10, 11, 12, 1.15, 2.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15.

SUNDAYS—Lime-street, at 10, 2.30, 6; Lane Cove, at 9, 1, 5.

Extra on THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS—Lime-street, at 11.15 p.m.; Lane Cove, at 10 p.m.

NORTH ANNANDALE.—TAKE NOTICE, that FERRY BOATS are NOW RUNNING EVERY HALF-HOUR to and from Sydney (Lime-street Wharf), between the hours of 8 a.m. and 7 p.m.; return fare, 6d.

FIRST VESSEL FOR NEW CALEDONIA.—The clipper-schooner HELENA, Captain James, for NOUMEA, is now fast loading at Dibbs' Wharf, and will positively sail on THURSDAY next.

For freight and passage apply to A. LEVERRIER, 15, Macquarie-place.

BRIG EMPEROR, from LYTTELTON.

Consignees of cargo by the above vessel are requested to pass entries, present bills of lading, and pay freight to

W. S. CLEAR, Master, Market Wharf.

QUEENSLAND ROYAL MAIL LINE.

CARGO ex s.s. DORUNDA.

CONSIGNEES are hereby notified that all the above cargo has arrived, and delivery can now be had. If not taken delivery of will be stored at consignees' risk and expense.

GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., Agents.

BARQUE FRAY BENTOS, from Lyttelton.—Captain MENCHACA will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by his crew without his written authority.

H. T. GIBSON, Agent, 8, Change-alley.

BARQUE SILAS FISH, from New York

DISCHARGING AT GRAFTON WHARF.

Consignees are requested to PASS ENTRIES without delay. All goods impeding discharge will be landed and stored at consignees' risk and expense. The ship will not be responsible for damage to, or loss of, cargo after the same has been landed. Bills of lading must be produced, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained from the undersigned, before any goods can leave the wharf.

R. TOWNS and CO.

Captain Williams will not be responsible for debts contracted by the crew without his written authority.

WANTED, TONNAGE, to load in SYDNEY, for SAN FRANCISCO, SHANGHAI.

ALFRED LAMB and CO.

WANTED, VESSEL, three to four hundred tons register, to load produce in Islands for Europe.

RABONE, FEEZ, and CO., 3, Wynyard-street.

WANTED, small VESSEL, to carry small timber from Nambucca. C. B. bond. 94, Sussex-street.

FOR SALE, 16 feet Racing BOAT, first award at Melbourne Exhibition. To be seen at Trickett's boatshed, Balmain.

FOR SALE or Charter, the schooner VENUS, 90 tons register, is well found, and capable of carrying a dry cargo. J. Williams, 85, Pitt-street.

FOR SALE, two large ANCHORS, about 10 Tons CHAIN, 2 Tons small TRAMWAYS, 1 large SHIP'S BOAT, as good as new. Apply J. CHAWKER, Point-street, Pyrmont.

FOR SALE, Iron DAVITS, large purchase BLOCKS, Whaling Gear, Iron Lances, Bomb Guns, &c. 11, Merriman-street, Miller's Point.

WANTED, a SURF BOAT. Apply to J. Williams, 85, Pitt-street.

UMBRELLAS.—Single one at Wholesale Price. M. A. HUGHES and CO., 580, George-street.

FRAUD.—J. S. ABRAHAM'S PILLS (Dandelion) are imitated. Look to the name.

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IT comes out in the second cup.

IF MICHAEL O'NEILL will correspond with his Brother Phillip, from Crogue, Tipperary. Address Victoria Parade Hotel, Victoria Parade, Melbourne.

L. BREENON,—Call immediately for Letter at Herald Office; employment awaits you.

MISS E. M. WELL, from Parramatta.—Send address to G. B., G.P.O.

MR. LISTER, Son-in-law of Mr. Quinn, of Bath, England, is requested to call at once at St. John's College.

MYERS and WOLFGANG.—Telegram from Birmingham lies at Reuter's, George-street, opposite Hunter-street.

TOM HUGHES is wanted on board the s.s. Catterthun.

WILL Captain M'LAUGHLIN, now arrived by the Sea Rip, call at 89, Burton-street, he will see an old friend.

WILLIAM ROBINSON, from county Cavan, per ship Sir John Moore, 1863,—Write to W. Latimer, Denison Town. Important.

Lost and Found.

BROOCH lost, on Friday night, containing hair, a family relic. Reward at 137, Woolloomooloo-street.

LOST, white and black Greyhound SLUT. Finder rewarded. Weir's, 186, Pitt-street.

LOST, on August 22, in Rushcutter Bay sewer, a Silver WATCH, No. 45767. Reward if left at Mr. Francis' office. F. Mackenzie.

LOST, a small dark rough-haired Terrier PUP, slut, on Sunday. £1 reward. Thomas Cripps, 550, George-street, opposite Cathedral.

LOST, by a poor woman, on Saturday night, a PURSE, with two £1-NOTES and SILVER and 'bus blocks. Reward at Mrs. Harris's, No. 6, Botany-street, Redfern.

LOST, on 13th instant, PEARL, centre of gold earring; also, a Scotch pebble BROOCH, set in silver. Finder rewarded. Apply Geo. J. Wiley, Old South Head Road, Waverley.

LOST, in 12.30 'bus from Cook's River, on Sunday, or between Harrison's corner and Watson's Druggist Shop, a Meerschaum PIPE, silver mounted, in case. Reward on returning same to Mr. Watson, chemist, Newtown.

LOST or STOLEN, LETTER, containing cheque for £8 19s 6d, made payable to the undersigned. Number known and payment stopped. Finder rewarded on returning same to John Fletcher, bag merchant, corner Elizabeth and Goulburn sts.

ONE POUND REWARD.—Lost, from my premises, two Chestnut HORSES, G over G 5 near shoulder, and OK near shoulder. W. White, baker, Kellick-street, Waterloo.

ONE POUND REWARD.—LOST, from W. White's, baker, Kellick-street, Waterloo, a chestnut HORSE, branded G over G 5 near shoulder.

ONE POUND REWARD.—Will the parents of the little boy seen carrying my Terrier PUP along Bathurst-street, about 11 o'clock Sunday morning, please return it and receive above reward. Thomas Cripps, 550, Geo.-st., op. Cathedrl.

REWARD, 5s.—LOST, a Black and Tan Rough TERRIER. Apply T. Phillips, 7, off Harris-street, Pyrmont.

STOLEN.—To Dog Fanciers, and Others.—Any person offering a Spaniel SLUT for Sale, will confer a favour by communicating to G. R. Jacobs, 60, Loftus and Hunter streets.

STOLEN, or followed somebody from Tempe Hotel, Arncliffe, Cook's River, Sunday afternoon, Spaniel SLUT. If returned, rewarded; if detained, prosecuted. G. R. Jacobs, Arncliffe.

STRAYED or Stolen from Golden Grove, a black MARE, star on forehead. Ten shillings if strayed. £10 if stolen on conviction of the thief. Henry Todd, 36, Old Newtown Road.

FOUND, a Bunch of KEYS. Apply at counter, Herald Office.

FOUND, a Kangaroo DOG. Chas. H. Kerry, 308, George-street, Sydney.

STRAYED into my yard, a Bay MARE. Owner can have same by paying expenses. 106, Liverpool-street.

Religious Announcements.

ST. BARNABAS' TEA MEETING, WEDNESDAY next, 24th instant.

Tea on tables 6.30 p.m.

After tea the meeting will be addressed by Revs. Canon STEPHEN, W. F. B. UZZELL, and J. VAUGHAN.

The Choir will sing several pieces, and there will be a sale of Water-colour Drawings, kindly presented by a Lady Art Student.

The chair will be taken by R. JONES, Esq., Jun.

Tickets, 1s 6d each; children under 12 years, 1s each.

Proceeds towards Organ Fund.

MARINERS' CHURCH.—The Half-yearly TEA-MEETING, to be followed by an evening of Sacred Song, will be held on TUESDAY EVENING, 30th instant.

Tickets, 1s 6d.

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH, Phillip-street, Sydney.

THE SERVICE OF SONG announced for this day is POSTPONED, on account of the weather, until further notice.

Lectures.

TECHNICAL OR WORKING MEN'S COLLEGE, SYDNEY MECHANICS' SCHOOL OF ARTS.

The thirteenth of the series of Lectures on "POLITICAL ECONOMY" will be delivered in the College Hall, TO-MORROW (Wednesday) EVENING, 24th instant, at 8 o'clock, by the Rev. E. G. HODGSON, M.A. Subject: "The Exchange of Wealth—MONEY." ADMISSION FREE.

JOHN ROGERS, Secretary.

DENTON'S second LECTURE, School of Arts, Wednesday evening. See advertisement in Amusement column.

HEAR Dr. SIMMS on Physiognomy, at Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, TO-NIGHT.

ANGLO-ISRAEL ASSOCIATION OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

In consequence of the inclement weather, the Lecture by the Rev. Wm. Allworth, in reply to the Rev. A. B. Davis, advertised for 22nd instant, has been POSTPONED.

PERCY E. WILLIAMS, General Secretary.

UMBRELLAS.—Single one at Wholesale Price. M. A. HUGHES and CO., 580, George-street.

Volunteer Notices.

FIRST REGIMENT N. S. W. VOL. INFANTRY.

N.C. Officers and men of the above Regiment who have not been MEASURED for new tunics are requested to call at Mr. NICHOLSON'S, 118, King-street, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. any day during this week.

By order. JAMES HILL, Adjutant.

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RAIN.—RILEY, BROTHERS for UMBRELLAS, MACINTOSHES, LEGGINGS, and OVERCOATS.

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A further consignment of fresh English FISH, viz., Salmon, Soles, Turbot, and Cod, also Findon Haddocks, will arrive per s.s. Orient.

Each basket of fresh fish, weighing about 150 lbs., contains an assortment of the above (not including haddocks).

A small assortment of delicate CHEESES, viz., Gorganzola, Stilton, Roquefort, Camembert, Bondon, Neufchâtel, and Victoria Cream Cheeses, and some fine CAPONS, all imported in the Orient's refrigerator, will also be offered for SALE.

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Meetings.

THE NATIONAL SHIPWRECK RELIEF SOCIETY OF N. S. W.

The Fourth Annual MEETING of this Society will be held at the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange, on THURSDAY next, August 25th, at 4 p.m.

Captain FRANCIS HIXSON, R.N., will preside.

Masters, Seamen, and others are invited to attend.

JOHN BROOMFIELD, Hon. Treasurer. A. T. WILSHIRE, Secretary.

A MEETING of Gentlemen willing to co-operate with the Melbourne Committee formed to raise funds in aid of the WIDOW and ORPHANS of the late Mr. MARCUS CLARKE, will be held at the BULLETIN HOTEL (late Wangenheim's), on FRIDAY EVENING next, the 26th instant, at 8 o'clock.

FRANK HUTCHINSON. W. E. LANGLEY. JOHN ARCHIBALD.

PRESENTATION TO MAYORESS OF SYDNEY FUND.

Lady Subscribers are invited to attend a MEETING, to be held at the TOWN HALL, GEORGE-STREET, SYDNEY (by permission of Chas. H. Woolcott, Town Clerk), on WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, the 24th instant, at 3 o'clock, to receive Hon. Treasurers' report, and to decide to what purpose the surplus of fund shall be applied.

JOHN WILLIAMSON } Hon. EDWARD HORDERN } Treasurers.

Metropolitan Transit Commissioner's Office, 182, Phillip-street, Sydney, August 22, 1881.

THE USUAL Weekly MEETING of the Metropolitan Transit Commissioners will be held 12 O'CLOCK NOON on THURSDAY next, 25th instant, instead of Wednesday.

W. J. MERRIMAN, Registrar.

SYDNEY UNIVERSITY UNION.—On FRIDAY EVENING the suspension of the regulations will be moved, to allow of the further consideration of amendments in rules, &c.

JAMES LANE MULLINS.

BUILDERS and CONTRACTORS' ASSOCIATION.—Regular Monthly MEETING of the above will be held at Builders' Exchange, King-street, THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, at half-past 7 o'clock.

ENOS DYER, Secretary.

BALMAIN WARATAH Cricket Club.—The Annual General MEETING of the above club will be held at the Kent Hotel, Wortley-street, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, 24th August, at 8 o'clock. JAS. KILLIAN, Hon. Sec.

MASONIC.—Prince of Wales Lodge No. 1653, E.C. regular MONTHLY MEETING, THIS EVENING, 7.30.

MASONIC.—PRIORY OF THE TEMPLE.—The adjourned MEETING of the above is further ADJOURNED until further notice.

NICHOLAS WEEKES, Secretary.

PROTECTION and POLITICAL REFORM League meets This Evening, 8, Temperance Hall. R. C. Luscombe.

TEMPERANCE HALL.—The Temperance MEETING TO-MORROW EVENING will be under the auspices of the I. O. G. T. of the World. Admission free. Signatures to the obligation can be signed every day and night.

REDFERN LITERARY ASSOCIATION.—Business: Debate—"To which sex is due the decline in matrimony?"

NO. 3, STARR-BOWKETT BUILDING SOCIETY.—A BALLOT for the advance of £200 THIS EVENING, at 8 o'clock.

WILLIAM J. CLARKE, Sec.

HUNTER RIVER NEW STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty-Ninth Annual General MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Company's Office, at Morpeth, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th current, at 11 o'clock a.m., to receive the Report of the Directors for the Half-year ended 31st July, 1881; to elect two Directors to fill the vacancies caused by the retirement by rotation of P. O'Keeffe and J. B. R. Robertson, Esquires, who are eligible for re-election, and have given the requisite notice of candidature; to elect two Auditors; and to transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting in conformity with the Deed of Settlement.

By order of the Board. F. J. THOMAS, Manager.

Sydney Office, 3rd August, 1881.

THE MUTUAL ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF VICTORIA, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General MEETING of the Members of the above Society will be held at the Head Office, Collins-street West, Melbourne, on MONDAY, the 29th day of August, 1881, at 4.30 o'clock p.m.

BUSINESS: To receive and consider the SECOND QUINQUENNIAL INVESTIGATION REPORT for the period ending the 31st December, 1880.

Dated at Melbourne, this 2nd day of August, 1881.

By order of the Board, THOMAS WALTERS, Secretary and General Manager.

GREAT COBAR COPPER MINING COMPANY (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Half-yearly General MEETING of the Company will be held at the Company's Office, 131, Pitt-street, Sydney, at noon on TUESDAY, 30th August, 1881, to receive Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for the half-year ended June 30, 1881; to elect two Directors in lieu of J. de V. Lamb and B. Molineaux, Esquires, who retire, but are eligible for re-election; to elect two Auditors in lieu of Messrs. James C. Taylor and Henry T. Fox, the former only being eligible for re-election; and to transact general business.

By order of the Board, GEORGE HARDIE, Manager.

JOHN DE V. LAMB and BOULTON MOLINEAUX, Esquires, are the only shareholders who have given the requisite notice of Candidature for the Directorate.

Business Cards.

A CARD.—SIMS and PARKES, Wholesale and Retail Herbalists, treat all diseases. 240, George-street North.

ALEX. SNEDDON and CO., Coal Merchants, wholesale and retail, James-street, foot of Bathurst-street.

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CAUTION.—As others trade upon my reputation (established by practice in the colonies of over twenty-six years), and copy my advertisements, patients in town and country are requested CAREFULLY to note address—33, York-street, Wynyard-square.

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A CARD.—The FIRST PRIZE and Highest Award for Mechanical Dentistry at the SYDNEY INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.—The N. S. Wales Agricultural Exhibition Medal for 3 years successively, the London International Gold Medal, and the Philadelphia Centennial Medal for Artificial Teeth have been gained by Mr. John Spencer, against all competitors.

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DR. JAMES KINGSBURY has commenced the practice of his profession at Church-st., off King-st., Newtown.

DR. A. BURNE, DENTIST, 23, Regent-street.

DR. GARRETT, SURGEON, ACCOUCHEUR, &c., has commenced PRACTICE in Sydney, and may be consulted at his rooms, 233 Macquarie-street.

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We hasten to announce our early shipments of Printed Cotton Goods for the ensuing season. The magnificent assortment we have to offer, the really artistic colourings and designs, the quality of the various cloths printed upon, and the prices we are enabled to quote will doubtless secure for us a large share of N. S. Wales' print trade this coming summer. We commence our Printed Foulards at 4½d, at which price we have 100 new designs. We follow on at 5½d, 120 new designs; 6½d, 80 new designs; 7½d, 76 new designs. Our Cambrics start at 4½d, 60 new designs; then 5½d, 75 new designs; 6½d, 100 new designs; 7½d, 90 new designs. Satteens start at 7½d, then 8½d, 9½d, 11d, and 1s, and comprise 250 of the choicest designs and colourings we have ever seen. Our total stock to hand and to arrive exceeds 12,000 pieces. It is patent that a stock of this magnitude affords the greatest possible advantages to purchasers. There are 20,000 sets of patterns ready. Prices are for prompt cash. FARMER and CO.

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FARMER and COMPANY.

CAUTION.

We particularly request intending purchasers of Prints that require sets of our patterns, to make application to our warehouse, direct. This may seem an unnecessary request, and would doubtless be so under ordinary circumstances; but this caution is urged expressly to counteract the unprincipled action of certain traders who, last season, having obtained our sets of patterns and mutilated them by withdrawing the better styles, were in the habit of presenting them to their customers as FARMER'S Prints, at 4½d., 5½d., &c.

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"Did you say 8½d? Why I bought similar material in Oxford-street, London, only last May at 1s. It was very much worn." Such was the remark of a lady who saw our new Ombre Stripes this morning. As the name indicates, the stripes are shaded, and are somewhat of a return to the fashionable fabrics of old time notoriety. Neutral tints prevail, the colours varying in sober shades of grey, drab, slate, light brown, &c. So rapid was their sale in the early part of the London season, that immense orders were placed by the West End house to which they were engaged; orders, indeed, that eventually exceeded the sale by some 500 pieces. These 500 pieces were offered to our Mr. Farmer at the actual cost to the maker, and purchased by him. We are thus enabled to quote them at 8½d, the net wholesale price for prompt cash. Patterns are ready, and as the town sale is certain to be very rapid, customers in the country who desire to participate in the advantages the parcel presents, should make immediate application. FARMER and COMPANY.

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The Satin Marie, 6½d, all shades. The new Ecarté Cloth, 8½d. The fashionable Beiges, in Spring tints, 10½d. The French Carmelites, 12d. The Indian Cashmeres, 1s 9d. These and other novelties will be exhibited in our Dress Department to-day, and during the week. FARMER'S.

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One hundred clerks are employed daily in sorting and defacing the returned notes in the Bank of England. They are stored for five years, and then destroyed. The last batch when destroyed, though closely packed, extended for seven miles, and if placed edge to edge would have covered 16,000 miles or thereabouts. When we commenced to open this extraordinary parcel of pillow-cases we thought of the returned notes of the Bank of England. We asked ourselves how many miles would they cover. The quantity staggered us—dozens upon dozens, scores upon scores, hundreds upon hundreds, thousands upon thousands. A manufacturer's bankrupt stock, (a manufacturer, who made pillow-cases his specialty,) gave our London buyer the opportunity. Do come and see them. They are ready for use, mostly with embroidered initial letters, and some handsome monograms; and the prices range from 2s to 9s 6d per pair. The greatest bargains we ever submitted. Prompt cash only. FARMER and CO.

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New shades in Coloured Gros Grains, 2s 11d and 4s 6d; Evening shades, 3s 11d; Black Gros Grains, 2s 11d. These and a large assortment of better numbers are now ready for inspection in our Silk Department. Patterns free. All prompt cash prices. FARMER and COMPANY.

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Fresh assortment, ex mail steamer. Ladies' trimmed straw Hats, 12s 6d to 25s. Ladies' trimmed straw Bonnets, 18s 6d to 30s. Millinery Bonnets, 18s 6d to 42s. Some really choice designs will be found in this parcel. FARMER and COMPANY.

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DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE.

The Queen Anne Drawing-Room Suite, in black and gold, a speciality designed by our Mr. R. Venn Brown, and not elsewhere obtainable, price 16 guineas. Black and Gold Occasional Tables, 25s, 30s, 35s. Black and Gold Card Tables, 3 guineas. Black and Gold Orrinsmith Cabinet, a perfect gem, 12 guineas. Stuffed-over Occasional Chairs, for the Drawing-Room or Boudoir, our special patterns, The Langtry, The Enid, The Windsor, The Guinevere, The Grandmama, and others, upholstered in charming French Cretonnes, most comfortable and luxurious, from 42s upwards.

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BENT-WOOD FURNITURE.

We hold the largest stock in Sydney of Austrian Chairs, Rockers, Sofas, Couches, Sofa Bedsteads, &c., all marked at the lowest cash prices. We are the only firm in Sydney who issue an Illustrated Catalogue of Bent-wood Furniture, which may be had on application, and which is invaluable to country residents who desire to see the various styles previous to ordering.

FARMER and COMPANY.

BEDSTEADS.

A most comprehensive assortment, including every style and price required for furnishing any description of residence. We purposely avoid keeping common bedsteads, preferring to be able to guarantee everyone we sell to stand fair hard wear. We commence our half-testers at 20s 6d; and have every quality and style from that price up to twenty-one guineas. We show specialities in full size Black and Gold Half Tester Bedsteads, with solid brass mountings, very elegant designs, at 5 guineas, which we believe are not to be matched in the city under £8 15s. Then we have the largest stock of SPRING MATTRESSES out of London, both English, American, German, and Colonial made goods. Our prices are strictly wholesale, as we sell for ready-money only. FARMER and CO.

ART CURTAINS.

A fresh shipment, comprising our new well-known standard patterns, intermixed with several newly drawn designs, chiefly Anglo-Japanese and Persian in character. Each curtain is indeed a study; price 21s per pair. Also, handsome Nottingham Lace Curtains, beautifully drawn patterns, in the conventionalised foliage of the early English period, 10s 6d, 12s 6d, 14s 6d, 16s 6d, up to 63s per pair. Curtain buyers should not fail to see our really grand assortment before purchasing. FARMER and CO.

HIGH CLASS TAILORING.

For prompt cash only. Gentlemen who pay have not to find the money for those who don't. Cutters: Messrs. Shearsby, Phillips, and Irish. Trousers (a splendid selection of materials) commence 16s 6d. Suits, £3 11s 6d. Every garment hand-made, and fitted to the entire satisfaction of purchaser. FARMER and COMPANY.

TWEED SUITS, GENTLEMEN'S, at 27s 6d.

Pure Bannockburn and Grampian Tweed Suits, all thoroughly shrunk, fashionable shape, will fit any sort of figure, 27s 6d net wholesale price for ready money, cannot match them in any wholesale house in the city under 30s; ordinary retail price in most houses 47s 6d and 40s. FARMER'S only.

GENTLEMEN'S WINTER SOCKS, splendid quality merino, 10s 6d per dozen; extra quality Cashmere, 16s 6d per dozen. A single pair at the same rate. All marked at wholesale prices for prompt cash. FARMER'S.

OVERCOATS, EXTRA SIZES.

A splendid selection of large size Overcoats, suitable for extra large and stout figures, is now open for inspection. Prices, 21s, 25s, 27s 6d, 35s 6d, 39s, 42s, 50s, and 63s. FARMER and COMPANY.

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Amusements

THEATRE ROYAL.

Lessee... ... ... Mr. Samuel Lazar.
Treasurer ... ... Mr. G. L. Goodman.

LONDON OPERA COMIQUE SEASON.
Under the direction of Mr. George Musgrove.
Business Manager, Mr. H. R. Harwood.

SECOND WEEK
and
FULLY-ESTABLISHED SUCCESS!
of
THE LATEST NOVELTY IN COMIC OPERA,

OLIVETTE | OLIVETTE | OLIVETTE

MOST PRONOUNCED BY THE ENTIRE PRESS,
and
THOROUGHLY ENDORSED BY THE PUBLIC.
EVERYBODY DELIGHTED
with the singularly Beautiful Scenery, the Costly and Tasteful Costumes,
the piquancy of the Music and Dialogue,
and the Galaxy of Youth and Beauty.
The whole forming a brilliant picture never before seen on this side of the world.
TO-NIGHT, AND EVERY EVENING,
at a quarter to 8 o'clock precisely,
an entirely new Comic Opera, entitled

OLIVETTE. | OLIVETTE. | OLIVETTE.

Music by Audran.
MAGNIFICENT NEW SCENERY
painted expressly by GEORGE GORDON.
The characters by the united strength of
THE LONDON OPERA COMIQUE COMPANY.
and a host of auxiliary aid.
Musical Director and Conductor ... Mr. CHAS. VAN GHELE
Stage Manager ... ... Mr. JOHN WALLACE

Dress circle, 5s; stalls, 3s; family circle, 2s; pit, 1s.
Box Office open daily at Elvy and Co.'s, George-street, where seats may be secured for any number of nights in advance.
Tickets for stalls, family circle, and pit may be purchased during the day at H. SOLTAN'S, Tobacconist, 116, King-street.

THEATRE ROYAL.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Patrons will please note that the Overture to "Olivette" commences at 7.40 PRECISELY, by which time they are respectfully requested to be present.

QUEEN'S THEATRE.

Lessee and Stage Manager .. ... Mr. J. P. Keogh.
Manager ... ... Mr. F. D. Haygarth.
Scenic Artist ... ... Mr. Geo. Kelly.

THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, August 23,
LAST NIGHT of the Eminent Tragedian,
Mr. J. DEWHURST,
in his grand creation of
HAMLET.
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HAMLET.
Supported by Miss MARIAN WILLIS as OPHELIA,
Mr. J. B. STEELE as THE GHOST,
and the Most Powerful Dramatic Company in Australia.
TO-MORROW (Wednesday) EVENING,
Lord Lytton's great Historical Play, in 5 acts,
RICHELIEU.

Manager for Mr. Dewhurst, Mr. Jas. E. Kitts, to whom all communications connected with Mr. Dewhurst must be addressed.
Reserved seats, 4s; circle, 3s; stalls, 2s; pit, 1s.
Box plan at W. H. Paling's Music Store, George-street

SYDNEY OPERA HOUSE.

THIS EVENING, TUESDAY, August 23,

CORBIN LAMB,
the Eminent Australian Spiritualist,
WILL DELIVER HIS SECOND LECTURE
on the following subjects:—

How to Help the Seasons.
The Missing Links between
GOD and MAN.
SCIENCE and RELIGION.
FREEDOM and HAPPINESS.
What has Saved the World from Coming to an End?
What has Caused Infidelity to God to Spread so Rapidly?
THE LAW OF SPIRITS.
THE LAW OF MATTER.
THE LAW OF ANIMAL MAGNETISM.
HOW TO PROMOTE MARRIAGE.

Admission—5s, 3s, 2s, and 1s.
Doors open at 7.30. The lecture will commence at 8 o'clock precisely.

OPERA HOUSE.

Sole Lessee ... ... Mr. W. J. Wilson.
Manager ... ... Liddy.

SATURDAY, August 27,
Re-appearance of the KELLY and LEON'S
COMIC OPERA COMPANY.
This well-known Company have now just finished a 12 months' season in Queensland, and are now performing in Newcastle with great success. Full particulars see Monday's papers.
M. J. ABRAHAMS, Agent.

WANTED, 20 Ladies and Gentlemen, CHORUS. Apply stage door, Opera House, Thursday, 10 o'clock.

PROTESTANT HALL.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODDFELLOWS.
GRAND CONCERT,
in aid of the WIDOW of the late E. ROUT,
PROTESTANT HALL, Castlereagh-street, on
THIS EVENING, TUESDAY, AUGUST 23, 1881,
under the patronage of the Mayor and City Aldermen.
Chairman—W. E. LANGLEY, Esq., G.M.

PROGRAMME—PART 1.
Overture—Quadrille, "Pirates of Penzance" Imperial Band
Song—"Village Blacksmith" ... ... Mr. A. Edward
Song—"Within a mile of Edinbro' town" Miss K. Horniman
Song—"My Polly" ... ... Mr. Buckley
Song—"The Pilot" ... ... Mr. Spragge
Dance—Spanish Waltz ... ... Miss Lily Garton
Song—"Death of Nelson" ... ... Mr. J. G. Brown
Flute Solo—"Bohemian Girl" ... ... Mr. C. Cody
Song—"Home they brought her warrior dead" ... ... Miss O'Sullivan
Song, comic—"I'm rather too old for it now" Mr. C. Harris
Dance—Sailor's Hornpipe ... ... Mr. Denholm.

PART II.
Selection—"Blue Danube Waltz" ... ... Imperial Band
Duet—"I Know a Bank" ... ... Misses Gilberthorpe
Song—"Never again, love" ... ... Mr. A. Blanchard
Song—"They say that other eyes are bright" Mr. H. Pier
Song—"In the Gloaming" ... ... Miss Lardner
Dance ... ... The Brothers Macrea
Song—"Alice, where art thou?" ... Mr. Ryan
Song—"When other lips" ... ... Miss B. Carroll
Song—"The White Squall" ... ... Mr. Parker
Dance—"Double American Jig" ... W. and J. Harris
Song—"Lardy Dah" ... ... Mr. Watson
God Save the Queen.
Accompanists.—Mrs. Caldwell and Mr. P. J. Healey.
R. CASHIN, Hon. Treasurer. J. J. M'MENEMY, Hon. Sec.

TEMPERANCE HALL, BALMAIN.

Grand COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT by the AUSTRALIAN FROLIQUES, for the benefit of the Widow of the late JOHN ALLEN, Contractor, THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, commencing at 8 o'clock. Admission, one shilling: no half-price.
Entirely new programme.
SID. B. REILLY, Manager.

CIVIL SERVICE MUSICAL SOCIETY.—Vocal PRACTICE, THIS EVENING. S. M. MOWLE, Hon. Sec.

NOTICE.—The CONCERT at Pyrmont, for the Benefit of PAT. MOLLOY, is POSTPONED till WEDNESDAY NIGHT.
D. DOVE, Secretary.

SCHOOL OF ARTS.
STORY OF THE EARTH, Continued.
DENTON'S SECOND LECTURE, WEDNESDAY, August 24.

The Ocean that Once Covered New South Wales.
The Animals and Plants that Lived In It, and the Coal and Salt Periods.
The first forms of life found in the rocks—The rocks around Sydney—Silurian age, or age of shells—Devonian age, or age of fishes—Origin of petroleum—The animals and plants of the periods finely illustrated—Restoration of the oceans, and their inhabitants presented—The age of amphibians—The great caves of the world—Description of Wyandotte and Mammoth caves—Coal forests described—How coal was formed—The coal of Australia—The saliferous period—How salt was formed and deposited.
Tickets may be obtained at Elvy's for the course at 4s, 6s, and with reserved seats 12s; single lecture, 1s, 2s, and 3s.
Lecture will commence at 8 p.m.

SCHOOL OF ARTS.
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3.
MACCABE,
MUSICAL TROUVERE, PIANIST, and VOCAL ILLUSIONIST,
in his original Monologue Entertainment, known through the United Kingdom as
"BEGONE, DULL CARE,"
interspersed with Music, Ventriloquism, and Special Character Delineations of the most peculiar and extraordinary individuality ever represented by a single performer in the world.

MASONIC PLAIN and FANCY DRESS BALL,
SCOTCH CONSTITUTION.
PATRON: H. R. H. the PRINCE OF WALES, K.G.,
Rt. Worshipful Br. Dr. W. G. SEDGWICK,
District Grand Master,
will hold their
ANNUAL BALL,
at the
EXHIBITION BUILDING, PRINCE ALFRED PARK,
on THURSDAY, 25th August.
The Splendid BAND
of the PERMANENT FORCE
(by kind permission of Colonel Roberts).
Refreshments provided by COMPAGNONI and CO.
Decorations by Mr. A. TORNING.
Regalia to be worn.
Tickets:—Double, 25s; gentlemen, 15s; ladies, 12s 6d—to be obtained from the Committee.
WILLIAM HIGSTRIM, } Hon.
JNO. J. SHIPLEY, } Joint Secs.

MASONIC BALL, S.C.—Furnishing and Decorating Committee please meet TO-NIGHT, 8 o'clock sharp, Bro. Kelly's Edinburgh Castle. I. DUNSHEA, Chairman.

ST. VINCENT'S HOSPITAL.

ANNUAL BALL, 1881.

(PLAIN and FANCY DRESS.)

TUESDAY, 6th SEPTEMBER,

under the distinguished patronage of
His EXCELLENCY LORD AUGUSTUS LOFTUS, G.C.M.G.
LADY AUGUSTUS LOFTUS, and Suite.

THE ANNUAL BALL,
in aid of the funds of the above charity, will be held in the
EXHIBITION BUILDING,
Prince Alfred Park,
on
TUESDAY, 6th SEPTEMBER, 1881.

TICKETS:—Gentlemen, one guinea; ladies, half-a-guinea.

The tickets issued for July 26 are the tickets that will be made use of.
WILLIAM HUGHES } Hon.
T. M. SLATTERY } Secs.

NATIONAL HALL, Castlereagh-st.—A. BARKER'S Select Quadrille Assembly TO-NIGHT. Ladies free.

GAIETY THEATRE.

Lessees ... ... Messrs. L. M. Bayless and John Solomon
General Manager ... ... Mr. L. M. Bayless

MONTAGUE-TURNER OPERA COMPANY.
DIRECTOR ... ... Mr. CHARLES TURNER
Business Agent for Mr. Turner ... Wilson Le Couteur
Stage Manager ... ... Mr. George Johnson

The charming and accomplished Prima Donna,
MISS ANNIS MONTAGUE,
and
The eminent Primo Tenore,
MR. CHARLES TURNER.

IMMENSE SUCCESS of
DONIZETTI'S GRAND OPERA,

TO-NIGHT. LUCIA DI LAMMERMOOR. LUCIA DI LAMMERMOOR. LUCIA DI LAMMERMOOR. TO-NIGHT.

THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, AUGUST 23,
and until further notice.

MISS ANNIS MONTAGUE as LUCY ASHTON.

MR. CHARLES TURNER as LORD EDGAR of Ravenswood.

CONDUCTOR ... ... M. LEON CARON.

In active preparation,
THE DAUGHTER OF THE REGIMENT.

Reserved seats at Nicholson and Co.'s, 328, George-street. Stalls, balcony, and pit tickets to be had during the day at Wigzell's, hairdresser, 130, Oxford-street; Solomons', tobacconist, 195, Pitt-street; and Hotel adjoining the Theatre.
PRICES—£2 2s, 5s, 3s, 2s, 1s.
Children in arms not admitted.
Doors open at 7.15. Curtain rises 8 o'clock.
JAMES D. COX, Treasurer.

DR. SIMMS, the unrivalled Physiognomist, will LECTURE on PHYSIOGNOMY, at Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, TO-NIGHT. Admission, 2s and 1s. Dr. Simms will describe character daily this week at his private room in the above hall. His Lectures continue August 24, 25, 26, 30, and 31.

HAWKESBURY COURSING CLUB MEETING POSTPONED until WEDNESDAY.
HENRY M'QUADE, Hon. Sec.

A SOCIAL GARDEN PARTY
and
MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT
will take place at the
SIR JOSEPH BANKS PAVILION,
on
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31.

YOUNG AUSTRALIAN BAND,
of 20 performers.

'Buses leave Burrangong Hotel, Haymarket, at 2.30 sharp, and return at 12 p.m.
Gent.'s tickets, 15s; Ladies', 10s. May be had at the Burrangong Hotel, only, from
FRANK SMITH.

THE VICTORIA AMATEURS Play for the Benefit of a Worthy Charity, shortly; look out.

UMBRELLAS.—Single one at Wholesale Price.
M. A. HUGHES and CO., 580, George-street.

RAIN.—RILEY, BROTHERS for UMBRELLAS, MACINTOSHES, LEGGINGS, and OVERCOATS.

Borough Council Notices.

BOROUGH OF ALEXANDRIA.

£5 REWARD.

A Reward of £5 is offered by the Council of the above Borough, in conjunction with the Trustees of the Waterloo Estate, for such information as will lead to the conviction of any person depositing nightsoil on the vacant land in the said Borough, such land being vested in the said Trustees of the Waterloo Estate.
CHAS. B. HENDERSON, Mayor.
Alexandria, 27th July, 1881.

Stock, Shares, and Money.

UNION LOAN AND DISCOUNT COMPANY.

OFFICES: 760, GEORGE-STREET (first floor),
3 doors from A. Hordern and Sons'.
Hours—9 to 5.
MONEY ADVANCED upon PERSONAL and other security, payable by instalments, as follows:—

£10 by weekly instalments of	...	£0 6 0
15 " "	...	0 7 6
20 " "	...	0 10 6
25 " "	...	0 12 6
30 " "	...	1 0 0
50 " "	...	1 5 0

And in due proportion up to £100.

SPECIAL NOTICE.
To Borrowers not able to transact business during the day, these offices will be open Monday and Saturday evenings, from 7 to 9.

UNION MORTGAGE AND DISCOUNT COMPANY.

Head Office: 760, George-street, Haymarket, first floor.

TO SMALL FREEHOLD AND LEASEHOLD PROPRIETORS.

This Company are prepared to grant loans on mortgage of freehold or leasehold properties, repayable by the smallest weekly or monthly instalments taken by any society in this city, as the following table will show:—

For every £20 borrowed,	4s 1d	
" £30 "	6s 2d	
" £40 "	7s 8d	
" £50 "	11s 4d	

and up to any amount at the same ratio.
Application and every information to be obtained at the offices.
WM. P. SMAIL, Secretary.

MONEY TO LEND.—The Trustees of the Savings Bank are prepared to Lend Money at 5 per cent., on mortgage of approved freehold property.
W. H. CUFF, Managing Trustee.

MONEY.—£15,000 for INVESTMENT on approved Mortgage security, at six per cent., in one or more sums.
HENRY HERON, Solicitor.
53, Hunter-street, Sydney.

MONEY. MONEY. MONEY.

REAL AND PERSONAL ADVANCE COMPANY,
124, Oxford-street.
Office Hours, 9 to 5; and in the evening on Monday and Saturday, from 7 to 9.
The Company advances upon ANY REASONABLE SECURITY offered, and repayment can be made at 6d in the £1, if desired.

Persons borrowing £10 receive	£9		
" "	20	"	18
" "	30	"	26 10s
" "	40	"	35
" "	50	"	43

And larger amounts at the same ratio; or other arrangements of repayment could be made in ANY WAY to suit the borrower.

LONDON LOAN AND DISCOUNT BANK.

109, ELIZABETH-STREET SOUTH (next St. James's School).
FIRST ESTABLISHED IN SYDNEY.
SPECIAL NOTICE.
The Directors place before those desirous of obtaining advances upon easy terms UNEXCEPTIONABLE advantages. Their method of transacting business is highly commended, CONCESSIONS being granted which no other office holds out.
ADVANCES MADE UPON
BILLS OF SALE on furniture, without possession, from £5 to £10,000; SURETIES, Mortgages, Leases, Deeds, Stock, Merchandise, Bonded Certificates, Annuities, Personal Effects, &c.
AND UPON ANY REASONABLE SECURITY.
N.B.—Promissory Notes, Acceptances, &c., DISCOUNTED daily.
Repayments by WEEKLY, MONTHLY, or QUARTERLY instalments; or as will suit CONVENIENCE of borrower.
All communications and interviews regarded strictly confidential.
FORMS GRATIS.—Address THE SECRETARY,
London Loan and Discount Bank, 109, Elizabeth-street South.
Office hours, 9 to 6 p.m.; Monday and Saturday evenings, 6 to 8.

MONEY. MONEY. MONEY.

COLONIAL MORTGAGE, LOAN, AND DISCOUNT BANKING COMPANY'S OFFICES,
290, Market and Castlereagh streets.
The operations of this Company embrace the following branches:—
1. Promissory notes, acceptances, bills of exchanges, discounted daily.
2. Mortgages effected on city, suburban, and country properties.
3. Money advanced on deposit of deeds, with or without transfer, and on leaseholds, shares and scrip of public companies, bills of sale, bonded certificates, merchandise; also, on good personal security, payable by weekly, monthly, or quarterly instalments.
4. Reversionary interests, annuities, and life interests in estates, purchased, or advances made thereon as required.
All communications, private, confidential, or otherwise, addressed to the undersigned, will have strict and prompt attention.
D. BARNETT, General Manager.

TO LEND,

£1500, ON APPROVED FREEHOLD SECURITY.

Apply GANNON and M'LAUGHLIN, Solicitors, Temple Court, Sydney.

TRUST FUNDS for investment upon mortgage. William Cope, solicitor, 139, Pitt-street.

LEGACIES.—Advances to persons entitled thereto in England or elsewhere. Manager, Union Loan, Discount, and Mortgage Company, 760, George-street, Haymarket, three doors south of A. Hordern and Sons'.

MONEY.—LOANS GRANTED, without delay, at moderate interest, on Furniture, without possession; Deeds, Bonded Certificates, Shares, or other Securities; repayable to suit convenience. Central Loan Office, 88, Castlereagh-st., nr. King-st.

TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND POUNDS TO LEND.

EQUITABLE PERMANENT BUILDING, LAND, AND SAVINGS INSTITUTION.
That the Offices at 248, Pitt-street, near Park-street, are frequented by an innumerable company of the thrifty public is not a matter for astonishment, inasmuch as it is known they can be assisted with loans to any extent in the purchase of dwellings, and are only asked to return it at 5s. 4d. per £100 per week. The man who will willingly pay rent in preference to occupying his own home is requested to call and undergo the operation of conversion.
Pamphlets are distributed gratuitously.
THOS. MILLER, Manager.

THE COLONIAL MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY (LIMITED).
ADVANCE MONEY on security of Freehold Property at current rates of interest, repayable at fixed period or by instalments.
ALFRED CHANDLER, Secretary.
OFFICES, 141 and 143, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

MONEY to LEND on mortgage of approved FREEHOLD or Leasehold Securities, at a low rate of interest. Apply to the Manager of the United Insurance Company, 263, George-street.

FIVE THOUSAND POUNDS Trust Money to LEND. Loans negotiated.
PORTER and WILMOT, House, Land, and Commission Agents, 88, King-street.

MONEY RECEIVED ON FIXED DEPOSIT.—Sydney Permanent Freehold Land and Building Society, 312, Pitt-street.
J. W. WATKIN, Manager.

MONEY RECEIVED on Fixed and Current Deposit by the Haymarket Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Company (Limited), Corn Exchange, Haymarket.
GEO. BAKER WALKER, Manager.

Government Notices.

Department of Public Instruction,
8th August, 1881.

TENDERS FOR LEASING CHURCH AND SCHOOL LANDS.

NOTICE is hereby given that TENDERS will be received at this Office up to 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, the 13th September, 1881, for the Leasing of any of the Pastoral or Farm Lots specified in the schedule published in the Supplement to the Government Gazette, No. 309, of the 9th August, 1881.
Conditions and form of tender can be seen at the Office of the Land Agents at Stroud, Dungog, and Copeland, who have been supplied with Gazette schedules for distribution, and with lithographs for inspection, defining the lots advertised for lease by tender.
Forms of tender can be obtained on application to the officer in charge of Church and School Lands, Department of Public Instruction.
A separate form of tender must be filled up for each individual lot for which it may be desired to tender.
JOHN ROBERTSON,
Minister for Public Institution.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

HAWKESBURY RACES,
25th and 27th August, 1881.

TICKETS at excursion rates will be issued at all stations to Clarendon from the 24th till the 27th August (both days inclusive), available for return until the 28th August.

TRAIN ARRANGEMENTS.
SPECIAL TRAINS will leave Sydney for the Racecourse on the above dates, at 9.35, 10.25, and 10.55 a.m., returning from the Clarendon at 4.45, 4.55, and 5.5 p.m.
The first two Specials leaving Syney on the abovementioned dates at 9.35 and 10.25 a.m. respectively, will consist of second class carriages only. And the fares for the double journey will be as follows:—

From Sydney	...	4s 0d
Granville and Parramatta	...	3 6
Blacktown	...	2 6

The third train, leaving Sydney at 10.55 a.m., will take first-class passengers only.
Return fare, 12s.
No passengers will be booked for the Racecourse by the ordinary train leaving Sydney at 9 a.m.
CHAS. A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railways.
Department of Public Works, Railway Branch, Sydney, 22nd August, 1881.

Department of Public Works, Railway Branch,
Sydney, 4th August, 1881.
TENDERS will be received at this Office until 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, the 23rd August, from persons willing to contract for supplying Wrought Iron Girders for Bridge, at Liberty-street, Newtown, G. S. Railway.
Plan, Specification, and form of Tender may be seen, and further particulars obtained at the offices of the Engineer for Existing Railways, 44, Phillip-street, Sydney.
Tenders are to be endorsed "Tenders for supplying Wrought Iron Girders for Bridge at Liberty-street, Newtown."
The Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.
CHAS. A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Public Works, Railway Branch,
Sydney, 4th August, 1881.
TENDERS will be received at this Office until 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, the 23rd August, from persons willing to contract for the Erection of Running Shed at Randwick.
Plan, specification, and form of tender may be seen and further particulars obtained at the Office of the Engineer for Existing Railways and Tramways, 44, Phillip-street, Sydney.
Tenders are to be endorsed "Tender for Erecting Running Shed at Randwick."
The Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.
CHAS. A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Public Works, Railway Branch,
Sydney, 10th August, 1881.
TO BUILDERS AND OTHERS.
TENDERS will be received at this Office, until 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, the 30th August, from persons willing to contract for constructing the Passenger Station, Platform, Stationmaster's Residence, and other works, at the Station for Walcha, at 232 miles 17 chains on the Extension from Tamworth to Uralla.
Plans, specification, and form of Tender may be seen, and further particulars obtained, at the Police Office, Armidale.
Tenders are to be endorsed "Tender for Building Station for Walcha Road."
The Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.
CHARLES A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Mines, Sydney,
16th August, 1881.
NOTICE TO APPLICANTS FOR GOLD-MINING LEASES.
The Lessees of the undermentioned Gold-Mining Lease are hereby called upon to show cause, within thirty days from this date, why the lease should not be cancelled for non-observance of the conditions thereby imposed.
F. B. SUTTOR.

PEEL AND URALLA AND HUNTER AND MACLEAY MINING DISTRICTS.
No. 134-58; name, John Watson and others; portion No. 57 ot.; locality, Lady Lizzie Line of Reef, county of Gloucester, parish of Bindera; area, 2 acres; date of lease, June 2, 1879.

Department of Mines, Sydney,
18th August, 1881.
NOTICE TO APPLICANTS FOR MINERAL LEASES.
NOTICE is hereby given that unless the Lessees execute and take delivery of the undermentioned Mineral Leases within thirty days from this date, they will be declared void.
F. B. SUTTOR.

Nos. 943 and 944; name, Frederick Sparke and another; portion Nos., 382 and 381; locality, county of Pottinger, parish of Rodd; area, 20 acres each; application Nos., Murrurundi 76-56 and 76-57.

LENDING BRANCH, FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.
BOOKS will be issued to borrowers on and after WEDNESDAY, the 24th of August, at the new premises, No. 8, Macquarie-street.
By order of the Trustees,
EDWARD G. W. PALMER,
Librarian of the Lending Branch.

Musical Instruments.

FOR PRIVATE SALE.
PIANOFORTES!

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB,
have recently received
per KIRKWOOD, from LONDON,
a
LARGE VARIETY of SPLENDID PIANOFORTES,
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Public Notices.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c.
To WILLIAM SMALL, of Swan Creek, near Grafton, and JAMES FRY, of the same place, in the colony of New South Wales, Executors of the last Will and Testament of EDWARD GARDENER CHOWNE, late of Ulmarra, in the said colony, and to the Widow (if any), next of kin, and Legatees of the said Edward Gardener Chowne, deceased.
WHEREAS it has been represented to us in our Supreme Court, in the colony of New South Wales, that the said EDWARD GARDENER CHOWNE departed this life, on or about the twenty-seventh day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, having first duly made his last Will and Testament, and appointed the said WILLIAM SMALL and JAMES FRY, Executors thereof; and whereas the said William Small and James Fry have neglected to bring into our said Court the said Will, and to take out Probate of the same, or renounce the due execution thereof, according to the rules of this Honorable Court in that behalf made, We hereby cite you and each and every of you to appear, personally or by your respective Proctors, before our said Court, at the Courthouse, King-street, Sydney, on or before the seventh day of September, 1881, then and there to accept or refuse Probate of the said Will, or to show cause, if you know any, why Letters of Administration cum testamento annexo should not be committed to FRANK NORRIE, of Grafton, Solicitor, a creditor of the said deceased.
Witness—the Honorable Sir JAMES MARTIN, Knight, our Chief Justice of our said Supreme Court, at Sydney, this 22nd day of August, A.D., 1881.
For the Prothonotary.
T. W. GARRETT,
Ecclesiastical Clerk.
COONAN and RYAN, Proctors, 153, Phillip-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of WILLIAM D. MOORE, late Bongongo, county of Buccleugh, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to the Curator (through the Post Office if they think fit), at his office in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 22nd of September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this Estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward, in the same way, their claims to the Curator's agent, CHARLES WYE WEEKES, Esq., of Gundagai, so as to be received from him, for proof, by the time above named.
THEO. POWELL, Sub-Curator.

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ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of WILLIAM PARTRIDGE, late of Juciong, deceased.
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THEO. POWELL, Sub-Curator.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN INSOLVENCY.
In the matter of the Insolvent Estate of JOHN M'MAHON, of Budgeon Station, near Coonamble, in the colony of New South Wales, grazier.
NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made on behalf of the abovenamed insolvent to his Honor the Deputy Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates, at the Supreme Court-house, King-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, the first day of September next, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon thereafter as the course of business will permit, for the release of the said estate from sequestration, on the ground that the creditors have agreed to a release of the said estate from sequestration, and upon the further grounds appearing in and by the affidavit of GEORGE MURRAY DUNN, sworn and filed herein.
Dated this 22nd day of August, A.D. 1881.
GEORGE MURRAY DUNN, Solicitor for the said Insolvent, 142, King-street.
To ARTHUR HENRY, Esq., Chief Clerk in Insolvency.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN INSOLVENCY.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
An Account, with Plan of Distribution, in the undermentioned estate, showing a Dividend as specified, is now filed in the office of the Registrar in Insolvency, King-street, Sydney, and will be submitted to the Court for confirmation on THURSDAY, the 25th day of August, 1881, if not previously objected to:—
JOHN MACKENZIE, of Palmer's Island, Hotelkeeper (No. 16276), a first plan dividend of 5s 2 1-23d per £ on proved concurrent debts.
And in the estate of
JOHN JAMES FATHER, of Collorenebri, Saddler, an account current only.
LANCELOT T. LLOYD, Official Assignee.
Dated Sydney, August 8, 1881.

PERSECUTION OF THE JEWS IN SOUTH RUSSIA.
A PUBLIC MEETING will be held at the Masonic Hall, THIS (TUESDAY) EVENING, 23rd instant, at 8 p.m., to devise means for alleviating the distress of the Jews in South Russia, occasioned by the recent atrocities inflicted upon them.
The Hon. Sir John Robertson, K.C.M.G., M.L.C., will preside.
The following gentlemen have kindly consented to address the meeting:—
W. B. DALLEY, Esq., Q.C.
Rev. A. B. DAVIS
Rev. Dr. STEEL
Rev. Dr. ELLIS
THOMAS BUCKLAND, Esq.
J. E. SALOMONS, Esq., Q.C.
Sir PATRICK JENNINGS, K.C.M.G.
M. GOTTHELF, } Hon. Secs.
GEORGE J. COHEN, } pro tem.

MR. I. DUNSHEA, 125, Pitt-street, begs to acknowledge with thanks the following amounts, collected by him for the widow of Mr. Hayes, who was killed a few days before the arrival of his wife and family in the ship Clyde, she being thus left, with six young children, penniless, and helpless in a strange land:—
I. Dunshea, 10s; J. Eve, 5s; Bull, Price, and Co., 10s; G. E., 7s; Gibbs, Shallard, and Co., 10s; Friend, 2s 6d; F., 2s; Mr. G. Pile, 5s; F. Cunninghame and Co., 10s; H. Solomon (Caxton Printing Office, 10s; Mills, Pile, and Gilchrist, 10s; Mr. C. T. Burfitt, 10s; R. Tooce, 5s; David Jones and Co., £1; Batt, Rodd, and Purves, 10s; C. Nall, 5s; G. S. Brown, 10s.

These amounts have been handed over by me to Mr. G. F. Wise for Mrs. Hayes' benefit.
I. DUNSHEA,
126, Pitt-street.

SYDNEY FEMALE MISSION HOME,
225, Elizabeth-street.
The Committee acknowledge with thanks the receipt of a Donation of FIFTY POUNDS from THOMAS WALKER, Esq., Concord.
HELEN KENT, Hon. Treasurer.

CAUTION.
Mr. Paul J. Caldecott is not authorized to Collect accounts and canvass for members to the Mutual Trade Protection Association of N.S.W., 32, Bridge-street, Sydney.
JAMES HURST, Secretary.

I, CHARLES LEWIS, will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by my Wife, ELIZABETH LEWIS, after this date.
August 23rd, 1881.

IF GRACE BRAWN don't call for her things in three days, they will be sold to defray expenses. Mrs. Beckinsale, 22, Church-hill.

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THE CHINESE AND ORIENTAL PHOTOGRAPHIC AND OIL PORTRAIT COMPANY.—Mr. SUE HING LONG desires to intimate to his friends and patrons that he has a large number of Chinese Oil Paintings, arrived per s.s. Catterthun, and he would also remind those who may favour him with orders for Chinese Oil Paintings (copies of photographic likenesses), per s.s. Brisbane, that they will kindly forward their orders not later than FRIDAY, 26th August.
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NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
GEORGE F. MURPHY (sole surviving partner of the late firm of Murphy and Son, Oil and Colour Merchants, George-street West) has REMOVED to the New Premises, REGENT HOUSE, 809, George-street South, opposite Regent-street.

VIRGOE, SON, and CHAPMAN, Merchants, George-street, have REMOVED to their NEW PREMISES in HAMILTON-STREET, at rear of Mutual Provident Society.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
F. H. REUSS, JUN., Architect and Surveyor,
to VICKERY'S-BUILDINGS,
Pitt-street,
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GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., 93, PITT-STREET, are prepared to make liberal Cash Advances on WOOL, TIN, ANTIMONY ORE, and other PRODUCE shipped to their London House, Messrs. ANTONY GIBBS and SONS.
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Tenders.

HOLT-SUTHERLAND ESTATE LAND CO., LIMITED.
TO SURVEYORS.
TENDERS will be received until the 31st instant for Surveying the Holt-Sutherland Estate.
Plans and specifications can be seen at the Company's Office, 40, Hunter-street, Sydney.
M. MALONEY,
Manager.

HOLT-SUTHERLAND ESTATE LAND CO., LIMITED.
TENDERS will be received until the 31st instant for the right of Removing Firewood, other than growing timber, from the Holt-Sutherland Estate.
Full particulars can be obtained at the Company's Office, 40, Hunter-street, Sydney.
M. MALONEY,
Manager.

HOLT-SUTHERLAND ESTATE LAND CO. LIMITED.
TENDERS will be received until the 31st instant for the Grazing Right of the Holt-Sutherland Estate, George's River, comprising an area of about 14,000 acres.
Further particulars can be obtained at the Company's Office, 40, Hunter-street, Sydney.
M. MALONEY,
Manager.

PARK and ELIZABETH STREETS.—TENDERS to be sent in THIS DAY, by 12 o'clock.
CHAS. H. MAY, Junr., Architect.

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TENDERS will be received at this office up to 2 o'clock p.m. on MONDAY, 5th September next, for supplying CAST-IRON WATER PIPES at per ton, delivered at the Wharf, Brisbane, or at Brisbane Railway Station, as follows:—
5 tons, 6 inches diameter, ⅝ inch thick, weight about 2 cwt. 1 qr. 27 lbs.
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All pipes to be 9 feet each in length (when connected), with socket and spigot for jointing with lead.
By order,
JOHN M. FLYNN,
Town Clerk.
Town Clerk's Office,
17th August, 1881.

THE COMMERCIAL BUILDING AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited.
TENDERS are hereby invited for the Erection of Five BUSINESS PREMISES in George and Bond streets, for the above Company.
Plans and specifications to be seen at my Offices, where tenders are to be delivered by noon of the 27th instant.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
BENJAMIN BACKHOUSE, Architect to the Company,
263, George-street.

TO BUILDERS and CONTRACTORS.
TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of a Shop and Dwelling and 3 Cottages, to be built at the Glebe.
Plans and specifications may be seen on application at the office of the Metropolitan Mutual Permanent Building and Investment Association, Limited, 246, Pitt-street, where Tenders are to be delivered not later than FRIDAY, 2nd September, at noon.
DAVID ELPHINSTONE,
Building Surveyor.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for the erection and completion of a THREE-STORIED HOUSE, Harden-street, GLEBE.
Plans and specifications may be seen on application at the office of the undersigned, to whom tenders may be delivered on the 5th September.
A. L. ELPHINSTONE, Junr.,
Architect,
253, Pitt and corner of Park streets.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS will be received up to 4 o'clock of 23rd, for sundry Alterations and Additions to a Store in Barrack-street.
Plans and specifications, and full particulars can be obtained at the Office of
THOMAS ROWE, Architect,
Vickery's-chambers, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for the Erection of a VILLA RESIDENCE at Manly (East Brighton). The works may be tendered for separately. Plans and specifications can be seen on application to the Architects, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before the 30th instant.
THORNLEY and SMEDLEY, Architects, 171, York-street.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for the Erection of a VILLA RESIDENCE and Offices at Harris Park, Parramatta. The works may be tendered for separately. Plans and specifications can be seen on application at the office of the Architects. Written tenders are to be delivered on or before the 29th instant.
THORNLEY and SMEDLEY, Architects, 171, York-street.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS will be received at this office until the 27th instant, for the Erection of a VILLA at Onion's Point. For plans and specifications apply to
THORNLEY and SMEDLEY, Architects, 171, York-street.

TO BUILDERS.
WHOLE or SEPARATE TENDERS are invited on the 2nd September for Erection and Completion of a VILLA RESIDENCE, Ancona-street, BURWOOD.
Plans and specifications to be seen at Terry's-chambers, 86, Pitt-street.
BOLSTER and JUSTELIUS, Architects
(late William Boles).

TO CONTRACTORS.—TENDERS are required for Building a Small House at Randwick, for T. T. Grey, Esq.
Plans and specifications can be seen at our Offices, where tenders are to be sent by AUGUST 29.
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109, Pitt-street.

TENDERS are invited until 3rd September, for the Erection of three 3-storied Stores in Kent-street, near Market-street. Plans and specifications to be seen at the offices of
FERDINAND H. REUSS, jun., Architect and Surveyor,
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TENDERS wanted, by the 6th September, for Building Church at Crown Road, Pitt..., Specifications, &c., to be seen at 45, Harbort-street, off Point-street, Pyrmont. Lowest tender not necessarily accepted.

TENDERS required, for labour only, as follows:—Bricklayers, Carpenters' Work, Joiners' Work, &c., separately. Plans and specifications can be seen at Mr. P. J. HOGAN'S, Campbell-street, Camperdown, near St. John's College. Tenders close 25th August.

TENDERS will be received until 6 p.m., Wednesday, 24th August, for Erecting a Weatherboard Cottage, Granville. Plans and specifications can be seen at the residence of David Rumble, Granville.

TO BUILDERS.—Wanted, TENDERS for a 6-roomed Weatherboard Cottage. Plan and specification to be seen on application to FREDERICK GAZZARD, Burton-street, off Wantstreet, Burwood. Tenders close on 29th August.

TENDERS wanted for Brickwork. Apply next to Winsor-terrace, Windsor Road, Petersham.

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His Worship the Mayor's Picnic, for 450, at Clontarf.
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Government Refreshment at to 15,000 school children — Queen's Statue Demonstration — under VERY SHORT NOTICE, only receiving the order at 2.30 p.m., to be ready on the spot at 12.30 p.m. the following day.
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The Luncheons and Refreshment Bars at Randwick Races in grand stand.
Together with a numerous lot of Private Picnics, Balls, Dinners, Feasts, &c., &c.

We have in our possession letters from gentlemen in high standing in the city commendating us on the manner we have performed the duties entrusted to us.

CHAS. R. SMITH, Manager.

Sydney, August 15, 1881.

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We have much pleasure in reporting the receipt of our FIRST INSTALMENT of NEW GOODS, embracing TWO HUNDRED PACKAGES.

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Black Spanish Cream LACES.
New [illegible] NETS, all colours; Dewdrop NETS, [illegible]; Snow Flake, Tulle, Beaded NETS, and [illegible].
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At the request of a large number of our customers, we are about to add the above department to our Establishment. The arrangements we have made are as complete as it is possible to make them, and are under the able management of Mrs. Fitzmaurice, one of the most experienced ladies in the colony, whose name alone will in many cases be a sufficient guarantee of excellence and efficiency in the execution of orders. We have also engaged a large staff of fitters, and ample space will be devoted to the business of the department, the unparalleled facilities of which we have much pleasure in announcing will be at the disposal of our lady patrons on MONDAY NEXT, the 29th August.

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REVIEW.

THE SILVER STREAK.*

It is not assuring to learn that much of the apparent extravagance of criticism of the foreign literary soldier who wrote so disparagingly the other day of English power in the scale of nations is but a well-considered page of fair military criticism from the point of view of an accomplished Austrian Staff-officer, whose special professional employment has been to study the resources, offensive and defensive, of other Powers. It is certainly the prevailing impression of most educated Englishmen (if the articles in the public Press are to be accepted as indicating opinion) that Captain Kirchhammer's contribution to the *Nineteenth Century* very cleverly, but somewhat ludicrously, exaggerated the military impotence of Great Britain. It was felt that the judgment of this critic was based upon an imperfect view of the whole situation—upon the authority of incomplete information—and upon that want of full appreciation of our resources, from which a foreigner would almost necessarily suffer, and that tranquillity of the public mind would have remained quite unaffected by criticisms, which, under other circumstances, would have certainly proved disturbing. But when Captain Kirchhammer's views are upheld by distinguished officers in our own service, when it is affirmed that his details as to our naval resources are (however much they may differ from the popular and erroneous estimate) characterised by a scrupulous exactness, and that his professional opinions are in complete accordance with those of the scientific organs of both branches of the service, it becomes an entirely altered matter; and indifference to the urgency of the question ceases to be excusable, no matter from what quarter that warning may have been given. And this is just what has taken place in connection with the question. In the last number of the *Nineteenth Century* Admiral Lord Dunsany, in a very remarkable article, has addressed himself to the solution of the same problem as that which engaged the attention of the Austrian Staff officer, and has arrived at precisely the same result. The English Admiral, like the Austrian soldier, is in no way impressed with the insular invulnerability of England. Indeed, among other things, he deals with this very question (the title of his paper is "The Silver Streak"), and so far from being impressed with the insurmountable difficulty of invasion by sea, he frankly declares that after many years' study of the question he has arrived at the conclusion that in these days the sea would rather facilitate than impede the invasion of England by France; for that is the Power which, in considering the matter, is assumed to be the assailant, "that country alone having the requisite geographical conditions of proximity and other advantages indispensable to success." Before proceeding to indicate some of the many reasons given by the author for the conclusions at which he has arrived, it may be proper to point out that the paper, manifestly from the references made to distinguished naval and military authorities, represents a considerable portion of the professional feeling on this subject. It is nowhere said, in so many words, that Admiral Lord Dunsany is really publishing the views of the Service; but it is easy enough to perceive that these are not merely the individual opinions of the writer, but are conclusions at which scientific men who have thought out the subject have arrived. The writer, for example, assumes it to be his duty to point out how much this subject has become complicated, and rendered difficult to the comprehension of unprofessional persons by the rashness and by the mistakes of even distinguished people in dealing with purely military questions. An examination of Sir William Harcourt's lecture on the impossibility of invasion, delivered some years ago, exposes the utter fallacies pervading his argument; and the admiral takes care to show that when Mr. Gladstone, in 1878, declared that the great Napoleon's saying about the possession of Antwerp by France being a great danger to England "was exaggeration carried to the confines of nonsense," the Premier was not aware that the opinion of Napoleon was that of Marlborough in the eighteenth century, of Wellington in the present, and that of every soldier or sailor from the days of Louis the Fourteenth to our own. The political pictures of English security drawn by these statesmen for the purpose of inspiring and sustaining popular confidence, seem as delusive to the professional critic as those Russian villages built up of boards, like stage scenery in the distance in desolate districts, which a humane Czar has ordered to be peopled, and of which it is said that sets of sleek and smiling peasants with all their household comforts, have been driven a few posts in advance of a Russian sovereign, all ready to be surprised at an abundant meal, in homes which they had inhabited but an hour. It is to the perils of deceiving the people most deeply interested in being thoroughly, however disagreeably informed, upon subjects so momentous in their issues, that the attention of the writer of this paper has been directed. And he has certainly brought to the discussion of the subject a temper, an experience, and a sense of its gravity which amply justify his title to a respectful and attentive hearing. The first of the delusions on which the supposed invulnerability of England is based, is the unchallenged supremacy in number and power of her navy; affirmed the other day by a leading English journal to be superior to any other navy, or any two other navies combined—practically superior to all other navies united. The first of these statements is, says Lord Dunsany, doubtful, the second untrue, the third an absurd exaggeration. He quotes the testimony of Sir Spencer Robinson, for several years the Comptroller of the Navy, who hesitates to decide whether our navy is or is not superior to that of France; and he points out that, individually we have no ships superior to all others; and indeed that Italy has at least two ships, the Dandolo and the Duilio, far more powerful for offence or defence than any we now possess, and is engaged in building two more to surpass these. He shows that the perfect seamanship of former times—to which our naval victories were mainly due—is gone; and that the sailor of the heroic times no longer exists, for the simple and sufficient reason that there is nothing for him to do. With modern steam transport appliances the movements of troops are more certain, rapid, and convenient by sea than by land; and the common misconception that an opposing land force can resist a disembarkation with advantage is an utter delusion. Given, according to Lord Dunsany, a suitable landing-place, such as an open beach; and there is, he affirms, no single case in naval history, of a landing being prevented—or even opposed. The requisite conditions for success are suddenness and secrecy in embarkation; avoidance of a superior British fleet during the transit; choice of the most vulnerable point or points of invasion; and rapid and orderly disembarkation. In drawing his remarks to a close, Lord Dunsany thus sums up the case. Having spoken of the steps that would be essential to make the invasion a successful one, he goes on to say:—

"These points involve the highest professional skill and ability, and still more such a deep study and mastery of the whole problem as we may safely attribute to our gallant neighbours. It is morally certain, though not capable of proof, that at different times, under Louis-Philippe and Napoleon the Third, the problem of invading England must have been fully worked out and elaborated. When some future historian has access to the secret papers, now pigeon-holed in the French Admiralty and War Office (and no more interesting secret literature can be imagined), such historian will no doubt show a profound difference between the French system and our own. Englishmen know little of the French navy, which, not being a House of Commons navy like our own, is constructed and governed upon professional principles as a 'war navy' with a definite purpose. Although there is much reticence in France about that purpose, we can clearly see that it has reference to our navy. While we talk about 'the paramount necessity for our fleet being superior not only to any other, but to any probable combination of other fleets,' the French, content with maintaining a real equality, leave us to dream of possessing such superiority. Twice, as already said, in the present generation, France by her inventive genius obtained for a time an actual superiority when she invented screw line-of-battle ships in 1851, and ironclads a few years later.

"After the disaster of 1870-1 the urgent necessity for strengthening their army led to the French navy falling below its normal strength, but at the beginning of last year (teste Sir S. Robinson), silently, quietly, and by good management, it was raised to a numerical equality with our own, implying an absolute superiority on any given point. And when we consider that France obtained this relative position at far less cost than we pay for our own navy, is there not reason to believe that the genius which created the French navy could employ it with terrible efficacy in active warfare?

"Let us then assume with the best authorities that in number and force of ships the two navies are about on a par at the breaking out of hostilities. Would any British naval officer deny that *ceteris paribus* the power of striking the heaviest blow must, in the nature of things, be on the side of France? We do not want her few colonies; her merchant ships are but a sixth of our own; we can only act on the defensive. But France becoming the assailant has the choice of two objects, on either of which she may concentrate her whole force. She may attack us either at home or abroad, with the immense strategical advantage her geographical position between the Channel and the Mediterranean, with impregnable harbours in each sea, gives her. She can in fact, force us to divide our fleet, while she can suddenly concentrate her own; for the Minister who kept our whole fleet at home, the only means of securing equality of force there, would be driven from power in a week, and his successor (too late) would send half our fleet to the Mediterranean to secure our communications with India. But though our existing navy is manifestly unequal to it, we may assume as a normal disposition that one half will always be in the Mediterranean or in more distant seas,* the other half left for the defence of Great Britain and—a vulnerable point at present—Ireland. The whole of our 'effective fleet ships intended for a general and combined action,' after deducting ships of obsolete proportions or otherwise unserviceable, amounted last year to twenty-four. The French ships similarly defined amounted to twenty-two. Out of these, England has eleven first class, and thirteen second class; France having ten first class, and twelve second class. The special ships—that is, those that are adapted to co-operation with fleets in a general action and for defensive purposes—are about equal in number and value on both sides.† This estimate, which may be thoroughly relied on, will appear very startling, and not to correspond with official statements. But the difference arises from the exclusion of all but really efficient ships—a sifting which only men acquainted, like Sir Spencer Robinson, with the secrets of office would be equal to. Though this proportion between the two fleets may vary slightly in future, it may be taken as the normal relation to which British Ministries of both parties have now reconciled themselves.

"Thus, as the trifling difference here shown is sometimes on one side and sometimes on the other, we may consider the two navies numerically equal, which, as already said, means a practical inferiority for England. But this does not only arise from the multifarious duties calling off our fleets to numerous weak points. There is a strategical superiority on the side of France from the fact that she is geographically between us and our Indian Empire. Further, for our present purpose—invasion—she would possess a still greater superiority as the assailant, choosing the point and time of attack. The problem then for a French commander charged to throw a force of, say, 100,000 men on an enemy's coast guarded by an inferior naval force, does not seem so impossible as we carelessly assume it to be. But possible or not, there are two more popular delusions on the subject which Englishmen would do well to dismiss from their minds.

"Firstly, arguing from irrelevant past experience, it is imagined that French admirals, though brave, are incompetent. A second delusion is that invasion would be planned on the one side and resisted on the other as in the olden time, although all the conditions are changed. Now, regarding the first delusion, if there is a body of highly educated scientific and in every way competent men in the whole world, so far as *la grande guerre* is concerned, it is to found in the upper ranks of the French navy. In pure 'sailorship,' to coin a word of more restricted sense than seamanship, they may not equal their English brethren, but the French admirals have a far larger sphere of action. They are often Cabinet Ministers, and no one wonders to see them so. They are sometimes ambassadors, very usually governors of colonies. In the supreme hour of French danger, the defence of the Parisian forts was entrusted to them, and well did they discharge that trust.‡ French admirals commanded divisions of the army, and always with credit if not with success. But, what is equally to the purpose, the constitution of the French navy and the share allotted to the naval officers in its maintenance and government give them an insight into what may be called great questions of policy studiously denied to our own. What would be said to a Naval Lord of the Admiralty who presumed to tell a First Lord that the country was not safe with a navy barely equal to the French? He certainly would not have a second opportunity of giving a professional opinion on a 'House of Commons navy.' In France, where the head of the navy is often an admiral, it is very different, and in a navy equal to our own we see the results.

"But of this we may be sure: the French Admiralty, a professional body, has often discussed and thoroughly threshed out all the contingencies of a naval war, invasion included. As to the second of the two delusions just referred to, we may rest assured that when all the conditions of naval warfare are changed, the methods of attack and defence will be equally so unless the boundless facilities for great military combinations on the attacking side are to be thrown away. When armies in peace are not only increased tenfold, but are organised above all things for sudden operations—when ships can be timed to reach a given spot at any given moment—an expedition will not be concentrated at one point for weeks and months beforehand. Nor will our fleets, as has been fondly supposed, hermetically seal the ports of France by blockades, which are things of the past. The French at least will never allow their fleets to be blocked up again as in the days of sailing ships. Getting rid, then, of mere delusions and misconceptions, we come to the actual means of transporting an army across a very narrow sea, France being assumed as the assailant. To point out the precise mode of effecting a great combined operation of the kind would be presumption in the writer, but the *élite* of the French navy have doubtless thought it out, as they cannot be assumed to believe in any mystic virtues of the 'Silver Streak.'"

* British statesmen on both sides have often declared the absolute necessity of maintaining our military communications with India by way of Egypt. To do so, then, with France for an adversary, we should require the whole of our present scanty force in the Mediterranean. Where, then, is our Channel fleet to be found, or squadrons to protect our trade and colonies?

† See article in *Nineteenth Century* of March, 1880, by Admiral Sir Spencer Robinson, K.C.B., formerly Comptroller of the Navy. Captain Kirchhammer allows the English navy a superiority of one-third over the French navy, which he still considers insufficient for our needs; but, for the reasons already given, Sir S. Robinson's calculation is more to be relied on. Captain Kirchhammer considers that the total of the world's navies is to the English as 244 to 64, or say 4 to 1—*i. e.*, in ironclads.

‡ Most readers of professional works will have read Admiral de la Roncière-le-Noury's elaborate and scientific work on the defence of the Parisian forts, which will ever be associated with his name, although he was assisted by several other admirals. One might name among French Cabinet Ministers in recent days who were admirals the gallant Jauréguiberry, Pothuau, De Saisset, all Ministers of Marine; Admiral Fourichon, War Minister; Admiral Jaurès, recently appointed Ambassador to Spain. Generals Chanzy and Faidherbe, the most distinguished in the Franco-German War, had both served in the French navy.

* *The Silver Streak.* By Admiral Lord Dunsany. *Nineteenth Century*, May 1881.

DR. WHITE IN EXPLANATION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In the letter which appears in your issue to-day there are certain statements reflecting upon me which you will kindly permit me to correct, and then I will trouble you no more upon this matter.

Dr. White objects to the application of the words "scene" and "disturbance" to the circumstances which occurred in connection with the funeral on Sunday last. His point of view is not identical with mine, and it is not therefore to be wondered at that we do not see the same thing exactly alike. My first clear information was derived from the account in Tuesday's *Herald*. In the last two sentences of that report a scene and a disturbance are vividly pourtrayed: "When the funeral cortege reached the gate of the cemetery on Sunday morning the coffin was placed on the ground, while the Rev. Dr. White conducted the funeral service of the Presbyterian Church, apparently much to the astonishment of the incumbent, who, dressed in canonicals, was in waiting on the other side of the gate. Some strong comments were indulged in by the large audience present."

It may be alleged that this account is incorrect in two or three particulars—that the coffin was not placed upon the ground, but upon two chairs, which were borrowed from my vestry for that purpose: that these chairs, with their burden, rested upon an unenclosed portion of the cemetery; that the chaplain was present only by his representative; and that Dr. White commenced by stating that he had been refused permission to officiate within the gates. The picture even thus touched up I look upon as a "scene," and the "strong comments of a large audience" as justifying the expression "disturbance."

No person other than myself is responsible for the service in the cemetery, and therefore no person other than myself could give the permission. I have made inquiry about the reported statement by an official. If it were so made it was done in error and without authority.

Dr. White is grieved that the members of the Protestant Alliance Friendly Society had some kind of service when he was not permitted to have any, and that thus their burial service was preferred to that of the Presbyterian body. He will be comforted by the knowledge that I have neither seen nor heard either service, and could not prefer one before the other; that my permission for that service was neither asked nor given; and that, as a matter of fact, I did not know of the ceremony at the grave until I saw Dr. White's letter this morning.

Your correspondent is unable to see that a piece of ground purchased by private individuals for the express purpose of providing interments according to the rites of the Church of England—and styled always a Church of England cemetery, is a private burial ground. Nor can he understand that a chaplain appointed by the Bishop, and responsible for all services conducted in the ground, has a proper right to regulate the kind of service which shall be held there; and unless he can see in black and white that only the Church of England service is permissible, he argues against it, and claims the moral right of officiating here in his own way. It seems to me, if a seatholder in my church were to become a Presbyterian and were still to retain his sitting here, that with equal justice Dr. White might claim the right to officiate with Presbyterian forms in my church for the benefit of that seatholder and his family, and appeal to the Legislature to help him by enforcing his claim.

Dr. White is "sure that there is no Presbyterian Cemetery of the present day where a similar course" to that followed here "would be attempted or tolerated." It may assist him if he will remember that the Church in which I have the honour of ministering is a large body, with conservative instincts, and as a whole not easily moved to the adoption of new modes of action. When, some time hence, the plan now stated to be followed by the Church of Scotland has been proved to be a real practical advantage, I have no doubt that we shall adopt it also. But meanwhile, with the "love of liberty" in which he glories, I trust that he will not again attempt to force us by the use of extraordinary means to the adoption of a course of which we do not at present see the wisdom; rather, I hope, that the "broad Christian charity" which he claims will enable him to bear with our infirmities until the light of advancing knowledge dispels our few remaining doubts. With many thanks, I am, &c.,

ROBERT TAYLOR,
Chaplain of the Camperdown Cemetery.

August 19.

THE Cocoa Bean affords admirable nutritive flesh-forming qualities and staying power. In Cadbury's Cocoa Essence these are retained and concentrated, providing an exhilarating infusion, not a starchy soup.—"Warnings to Householders."—Adv.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—August 22.

Lismore (s.), 329 tons, Captain B. Alley, from Richmond River 20th instant. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Staff, Mrs. Eagen, Messrs. Murray, Glasgott, T. Hogan, Watson, Leigh, Edwards, Johnson, E. Johnson, and 7 in the steerage. B. B. Nicoll, agent.

Louisa, schooner, 123 tons, Captain Nelson, from Melbourne. Captain, agent.

Fray Bentos, barque, 534 tons, Captain Menchaca, from Lyttelton July 18. Passengers—Messrs. Baxter, Clark, Seaton, Keating, Johnson, Gillespie, Smith, M'Cullam. R. S. Gibson, agent.

Silas Fish, barque, 702 tons, Captain Williams, from New York May 10. R. Towns and Co., agents.

Alexandra, brig, 239 tons, Captain Brothers, from River Mersey August 12. Captain, agent.

Ly-ee-Moon (s.), 1202 tons, Captain C. J. Nightingall, from Melbourne August 20. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Buckland and family (11), Miss Gibson, Mrs. Stewart, Miss Import, Mrs. Dheron, Mrs. Grenfell, Messrs. Sibley, G. A. Abbott, R. S. Kamp, A. F. Friend, C. Thuer, Von Bentzen, J. A. Spier, W. H. Dainton, G. B. Palmer, J. H. Wilson, Dr. E. Godson, Rich, Thompson, J. B. Mackenzie, R. Edwards, J. Jones, D. W. Weir, D. M'Donald, W. Jones, and 37 in the steerage. A. S. N. Co., agents.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—August 23.

Catterthun (s.), Ly-ee-Moon (s.), Barrabool (s.), for Melbourne; Alexandra (s.), for Cooktown and Queensland ports; Derwent (s.), for Brisbane, Maryborough, and Rockhampton; Corea (s.), for Cooktown and Queensland ports; Lismore (s.), for Richmond River; Richmond (s.), for Clarence River; Berean, for Launceston, via Newcastle.

CLEARANCE.—August 20.

Glenelg (s.), 898 tons, Captain T. Nicholson, for Adelaide. Passenger—Master Sinclair.

COASTERS INWARDS.—August 22.

Alert, from Newcastle, with 300 tons coal; Saucy Jack, from Richmond River, with 90,000 feet pine; Snowdrop, from Broken Bay, with 20 tons firewood; Empress of India, from Port Stephens, with 34,000 feet timber; Menschikoff, from Newcastle, with 270 tons coal; William Brooks, from Wollongong, with 50 tons coal; Norman, from Wollongong, with 80 tons coal; Llewellyn (s.), from Wollongong, with 400 tons coal; Maitland (s.), from Morpeth, with 8 bales wool, 120 bales hay, 3 bales skins, 216 hides, 13 bags potatoes, 10 bags flour, 5 cases wine, 106 bags tin ore, 6 boxes tobacco, a quantity mixed paints and oil, 6 tons scrap iron, 4 casks tar and sundries.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—August 22.

Alert, Menschikoff, for Newcastle; Mary Cochrane (s.), for Nambucca; Saucy Jack, for Richmond River; Snowdrop, for Botany Bay; Empress of India, for Port Stephens; Manly (s.), for Bellinger River; William Brooks, Norma, Llewellyn (s.), for Wollongong; Australian (s.), Richmond (s.), for Clarence River; Rosedale (s.), for Manning River.

IMPORTS.—August 22.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.]

Louisa, from Melbourne: 80 tons stone, 150 cases dynamite, 10 cases lithofracteur.

Silas Fish, from New York: 12 pieces oak, 7 cases drugs, 110 washboards, J. Lawson; 99 boxes, Lazarus, Rosenfeld, and Benjamin; 2 cases, Jewell, Davis, and Co.; 19 packages, Precious, Doust, and Co.; 4 cases, S. Hoffnung and Co.; 31 packages, E. P. Capper and Son; 260 cases, D. Cohen and Co.; 13 cases, Jewell, Davis, and Co.; 3 packages, J. Scharff; 1 box, T. J. Bown and Co.; 85 cases, Iley, Doubleday, and Co.; 152 packages, L. Jacobs and Co.; 46 packages, H. P. Gregory and Co.; 10 cases, Elliott, Brothers; 31 cases, J. Kingsbury; 1 case, Williams, Murray, and Co.; 228 cases, R. Towns and Co.; 21 cases, R. Towns and Co.; 10 barrels, 16 hogsheads, Dalgety, Blackwood, and Co.; 34 packages, E. P. Capper and Sons; 1 case, Dalton, Brothers; 200 quarter-barrels dried apples, 1443 packages, S. Hoffnung and Co.; 27,089 slates, W. Cary; 150 packages grape sugar, 16 packages walnuts, 50 packages turpentine, 10 pieces castings, 2472 packages, Order.

Ly-ee-Moon (s.), from Melbourne: 1 outrigger, 18 bundles bags, 13 coils rope, 12 hogsheads brandy, 80 quarter-casks brandy, 36 cases brandy, 40 pieces oregon, 36 empty hogsheads, 39 cases treacle, 22 bundles sheet iron, 70 casks butter, 10 casks stearine, 675 bags potatoes, 30 cases marmalade, 655 bags flour, 20 cases acids, 50 casks currants, 109 cases fruit, 69 boxes tinplate, 198 cases kerosene, 3 cases organs, 1 engine, 9 draught entires, 1 bull, 8 live hares, and 131 packages merchandise, &c.

Fray Bentos, from Lyttelton: 5000 bags potatoes.

Alexandra, from River Mersey: 8600 bags potatoes.

Ex Kaisar-i-Hind: 1 case jewellery and watches—Hardy, Brothers, 13, Hunter-street.

Ex Garonne: 5 cases electro-silver and optics — Hardy Brothers, 13, Hunter-street.

Ex Christiana Thompson: 76 trunks boots; 2 cases leather; 3 casks iron and brass rivets; 7 packages grindery—Saddington and Sons, 12, Barrack-street.

Ex Christiana Thompson: 49 cases "Blackwall" galvanized iron; 41 rolls sheet lead; 20 drums caustic soda—Saddington and Sons, 12, Barrack-street.

Ex Duchess of Edinburgh: 36 trunks boots; 1 case curriers' knives; 57 casks soda crystals—Saddington and Sons, 12, Barrack-street.

Ex Emperor: 1000 sacks oats; 1451 sacks potatoes—Barker and James.

Ex Ly-ee-Moon: 80 cases Swallow and Ariell's prize biscuits. Canterbury and Normanby cakes, treacle, and G. syrup.—W. H. Ariell, 343 and 345, Kent-street.

Ex Canopus: 506 casks O. F. Alsen and Sons' Portland cement —H. Hakon and Co., 93 and 95, Pitt-street.

Ex Bowen and Wakatipu: 30 tons N. Z. potatoes; 30 bags cocksfoot grass seed—S. S. Howes and Co., 13, Sussex-street.

Ex Meath: 950 half-chests, 300 boxes first crop teas—Gates and Co., Newcastle.

Ex Catterthun: 730 half-chests, 500 boxes first crop teas—Gates and Co., Newcastle.

EXPORTS.—August 20.

You Yangs (s.), for Brisbane, Maryborough, and Rockhampton: 24 cases patterns, 5 packages castings, 18 ovens, 6 cases champagne, 5 casks ale, 2 cases claret, 3 cases bedsteads, 22 cases wine, 111 cases fruit, 9 cases butter, 12 packages drapery, 25 cases salmon, 11 tanks malt, 7 cases boots, 37 bags onions, 24 cases sewing-machines, 250 tons coal, 55 packages tea, 20 packages lead, 6 packages earthenware, 2 cases tobacco, 27 bales hay, 55 bags chaff, 31 empty casks, 60 bags salt, 330 tons flour, 4 bulls, 6 quarter-casks whisky, 4 packages stationery, 5 packages drugs, 12 axle arms, 6 cart boxes, a quantity of iron and steel, and sundries.

Glenelg (s.), for Adelaide: 2 cases boots, 517 cases fruit, 2 packages books, 2 cases shale waste, 1 case photo. goods, 22 bags cocoanuts, 1 case coffee, 62 bags coffee, 5 iron girders, 60 bags maize, 80 tons stone, 5 casks marble dust, 65 half-chests tea, and sundries.

Custom House.—Entered Outwards August 22: Alexandra (s.), 546 tons, Captain W. Hill, for Cooktown and Northern ports; R.M.S. Kaisar-i-Hind, 2560 tons, Captain J. C. Babot, for London, via Melbourne and Adelaide; Catterthun (s.), 1496 tons, Captain J. Quiüe, for Melbourne; Kenmure Castle (s.), 1060 tons, Captain Luck, for Shanghai; Huntingdon (s.), 1464 tons, Captain J. Hynes, for Calcutta; Rodondo (s.), 715 tons, Captain J. R. Clark, for Melbourne, via Newcastle; Derwent (s.), 351 tons, Captain H. B. Bristow, for Brisbane, Maryborough, and Rockhampton.

The coast of this colony was yesterday visited by a most severe S.E. gale that will in all probability be attended by damage to shipping. A heavy breeze prevailed throughout the morning, and brought up thick clouds. There was every indication of violent weather, and in the afternoon the gale was accompanied by furious squalls and a heavy downfall of rain, till about 8 p.m., when a shift of wind more southerly took place, and the rain ceased. Should the weather clear to-day, an influx of shipping will no doubt take place, as there are a number of overdue vessels, and many of them are known to be on the coast.

The Ly-ee-Moon (s.), from Melbourne, was caught in the south-east gale off Sydney Heads last night, and when the vessel had run her distance without sighting the light, she headed to the S.E., expecting to pass the night at sea. Heavy seas broke over the decks, and a considerable body of water found its way to the main deck, where 8 valuable stallions and 1 bull were secured. Two of the stallions got down through the ship pitching, and the others had a rather dangerous time of it, when the Sydney Heads light was sighted, and the steamer at once bore up and arrived safely in port. The vessel cleared Port Phillip Heads on August 20, at 6.50 p.m.; experienced light E. and S.E. winds to Gabo Island; thence to Cape St. George light and moderate southerly winds and cloudy sky; thence to arrival fresh breeze, increasing to strong S.E. gale, thick dirty weather, much rain, totally obscuring land; 6.45, headed ship S.E.; 8.30, rain clearing off, sighted Sydney Heads light; entered Heads at 9.15 p.m., alongside wharf at 10.30.

The barque Silas Fish, from New York, brings a full general cargo, a portion of which is for the port of Brisbane. The vessel sailed on May 10, experiencing moderate E. and S.E. winds till taking the N.E. trades in latitude 32° N. The latter were steady, and continued to latitude 10° N., where calms and variables set in. Crossed the Equator on June 15 in longitude 28° W. Had moderate S.E. trades between the parallels of 3° and 20° S. Passed the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on July 11th, and made the easting on the mean parallel of 40° S. North and N.W. winds prevailed, with occasional gales till rounding Tasmania on August 11th. From thence had strong N.E. winds.

The Alexandra left the River Mersey, Tasmania, on the 12th instant, and made good running, with a fresh S.W. wind, for 48 hours, after which strong N.E. winds commenced, and lasted till the vessel was off Jervis Bay, on the 21st, when S.E. winds set in.

The Lismore (s.), from the Richmond River, crossed the bar on the 20th instant, at 6 p.m., and arrived in Sydney at 6 a.m. on the 22nd. Experienced light variable winds and fine weather throughout the passage. Cargo: 112 logs timber, 8000 feet sawn cedar, 1000 staves, 500 bags maize, 2 casks tallow, 100 hides, 6 casks treacle, 15 cases eggs, 6 coops poultry, 11 pigs, 200 mats sugar, and sundries.

The James Paterson (s.) was weather bound at Port Stephens yesterday.

The R.M.S. Malwa, from Glenelg, arrived at Albany at 8.10 a.m. yesterday.

A full-rigged ship passed Gabo Island, bound north, yesterday at 7 a.m. This is no doubt the Duchess of Edinburgh, from London, as she was off Wilson's Promontory on the 18th instant.

A barque, apparently from England, for this port, was observed hove-to off Wollongong yesterday morning by Captain Brothers, of the brig Alexandra, who believes that the vessel had mistaken the burning of the coal heaps at Mount Kembla for Sydney Heads light, and was expecting a pilot to come off. The vessel, however, followed the Alexandra northward, but as a severe gale came on she would, no doubt, haul off the land.

The barque Acacia left Port Chalmers on August 4, for Sydney, and the schooner Glossariel sailed prior to August 19, for Sydney.

The schooner Berean, outward bound, was at anchor in Watson's Bay yesterday evening.

A new steamer is now building on the Clyde for the Tasmanian S. N. Company, to be called the Corinna, and will probably leave England for Hobart in January next.

The Orient liner Chimborazo left Plymouth on August 20, with 349 passengers and a full cargo for Australia.

The Reliance, Eliza Allen, schooners, and Lady of Lorne, ketch, were bar-bound at Nambucca yesterday.

The H.R.N.S.N. Co.'s steamship Morpeth has been laid up during the past week at Mort's Dock and Engineering Company's establishment, in order to repair the damage done by the collision with the Caston. The damage done was confined to the stem of the Morpeth, chiefly above the maindeck, necessitating some new iron plating, a new bowsprit, and carpenter's work. The Morpeth has been restored to her condition before the collision, and will leave Sydney to-night (Tuesday) with passengers and cargo for the Hunter under the command of Captain Carter.

A few weeks ago Captain Anderson, of the New Zealand Government service, reported that he had seen a submarine eruption off Cape Colville, N.Z. Captain Fairchild was therefore sent in the Government steamer Stella to ascertain the correctness of the report, and whether it presented any danger to passing vessels. He reported—"The water is boiling up like a spring for the space of about 100 feet. Channel Island bears N. by W. three-quarters of a mile. The water is muddy and yellow. The yellow water drifts away with the tide, and is in shape very much like the tail of a comet. There is no change in the soundings. The least water we found was 24 fathoms, so that navigators need not be afraid to go on their usual tracks when passing there. I took the Stella on the spot and dropped the lead in the centre of the boil, and then found 24 fathoms. I left the lead down as long as I could to see if it would come up hot, but it came up quite cold, and brought up broken shells."

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

Brisbane.—Arrival: August 22, Wotonga (s.), from Sydney. Departures: Egmont (s.), for Rockhampton; Keilawarra (s.), for Rockhampton, left Maryborough this morning; Elamang (s.), for Cooktown, left Keppel Bay last evening; Katoomba (s.), for Sydney, and Wentworth (s.), for Port Douglas, both left Townsville this afternoon.

Ballina.—Arrivals: August 22, Coraki (s.), from Sydney. You Yangs (s.), and William Mackinnon (s.), passed, bound north, at 7.30 a.m. and 8 a.m. respectively.

Clarence Heads.—Arrivals: August 22, New England (s.), Australian (s.), from Sydney.

Macleay Heads.—Arrival: August 22, Queen of the South (s.), from Sydney. Departure: August 22, Ne Oblie (s.), for Sydney.

Camden Haven.—Arrival: August 22, Ada, ketch, from Sydney.

Manning Heads.—Arrivals: August 22, Alice Templeton, Ocean Wave, from Sydney.

Port Stephens.—Arrival: August 22, James Paterson (s.), weather bound.

Newcastle.—Arrivals: August 21, Coonanbara (s.), Lalla Rookh, Western (s.), Waratah (s.), from Sydney; Woolloona, from Melbourne. 22, G. M. Tucker, from Wellington, with 28 passengers; Malay, from Nelson; Speedwell, Meath (s.), from Melbourne; Otterburn, from Simon's Bay; Jessie Matilda, Fearless, Tasmania (s.), from Sydney. Departures: August 21, Pet, for Hobart; Maggie Conlon, Fanny Fisher, for Sydney. 22, Waratah (s.), Coonanbara (s.), Duckenfield (s.), Tasmania (s.), Western (s.), for Sydney.

Wollongong.—Arrivals: August 22, Hilda (s.), Havilah (s.), Merchantman, schooner, from Sydney. Departure: August 22, Comerang (s.), for Kiama.

Kiama.—Arrivals: August 22, Emu (s.), Comerang (s.), from Sydney; Hunter (s.), from Terrara.

Bateman's Bay.—Departure: August 22, Kameruka (s.), for Sydney.

Twofold Bay.—Arrival: August 22, Tasman (s.), from Hobart. Departure: August 22, Tasman (s.), for Sydney, at noon.

Port Phillip Heads.—Arrivals: August 21, Queen Emma, Conference, Mandura, barques, Nemesis (s.), from Newcastle; Lusitania (s.), from London. 22, R.M.S. Bokhara, from Galle, in bay at 7.50 a.m. Departures: August 20, Sarah Ann, barque, for Wangaroa, South Australian (s.), for Adelaide.

Melbourne.—Arrivals: August 22, Catania (s.), from Sydney; Victorian (s.), from Adelaide; Madura and Conference, from Newcastle; Tommy and Tinder, from Sydney. Departures: Tamar (s.), for Launceston; Despatch (s), for Circular Head; Lusitania (s.), for Sydney; Omeo (s.), Easby (s.), Taramung (s.), for Newcastle.

Adelaide.—Arrived: August 22, Lass of Gawler, from Newcastle; South Australian (s.), from Melbourne; Helena, from the River Don; Southern Belle, from Newcastle; Lismore, from Bateman's Bay; Glenelg (s.), from Circular Head. Sailed: Fleur de Maurice, for the Cape.

VESSELS TO ARRIVE.

Vessel and Rig.	Where from.	Date of Sailing.	Remarks.
Afghan ... ss	London ...	—	To sail April 20
Alabama ... bq	Havre ...	June 10	Lizard June 15
Alexander ... sr	Hamburg ...	May 16	
Alexandre ...	Hamburg ...	May 20	At Charente May 28
Allahabad ... sh	London ...	—	To sail July 15
Amalfi ... ss	London ...	—	To sail July 20, v. A. & M.
Anglo-N'rm'n bq	New York ...	May 21	
Belmore ... bq	Hull ...	June 27	
Bengal ... ss	London ...	—	To sail July 5
Ben Nevis ... sh	London ...	—	Loading
Bernica ... bq	Mauritius ...	July 10	Pd. Wil. Prom., Aug. 16
Bokhara, P. & O.	Galle ...	Aug. 5	At Melbourne Aug. 22
Brilliant ... sh	London ...	—	To sail June 28
British Sceptre sh	London ...	—	Loading
Cairnbulg ... sh	London ...	—	To sail in July
Cambrian Queen	Liverpool ...	—	Loading
Candida ... bq	Liverpool ...	May 28	
Charlton ... ss	Hongkong ...	June 21	Pd. C. Bowl'g Green Jy 31
Chimborazo, O ss	London ...	Aug. 22	Via Adel. and Melbrne.
Ch'sta R'dmn bq	Boston ...	May 20	
City N. York, PM	S. Francisco	July 31	
Cormorant ... sh	Hull ...	May 17	
Drling Downs sh	London ...	—	To sail July
Devonshire ... ss	London ...	June 30	
Dochra ... bq	Glasgow ...	May 19	Sp. May 27, 49° N., 15° W.
Dora ... sh	Havre ...	June 21	
D'm'rg Louise bq	Christ'nsand	April 13	
D'chs Ed'n'gh sh	London ...	June 3	Pd. Wil. Prom., Aug. 18
Eme ... bq	London ...	—	To sail July 2
Fk. Wilson ... bq	Hamburg ...	—	To sail in June
Fd. P. Litchfield	New York ...	—	Loading
G.H. Wappaus	Hamburg ...	April 17	Via Melbourne
Gladstone ... bq	London ...	—	To load
G't C'rp'nt'ia ss	London ...	—	To sail June 20
G't Finland ... ss	London ...	—	To sail July 29
G't St. Vin'ct ss	London ...	—	
Hankow ... ss	London ...	—	To sail Sept. 24, v. A. & M.
H.W. Dudley bq	New York ...	June 18	
Immanuel ... bq	Havre ...	April 8	
Irvine ... bq	London ...	June 4	
Kelat ... sh	M'dalesbro ...	June 28	
Khorasan ... sh	London ...	June 24	
King Cerdic ... sh	Newport ...	—	Cleared June 28
Kosciusko ... bq	London ...	—	To sail August 30
La Hogue ... sh	London ...	—	To sail August 5
Letterewe ... bq	London ...	—	Loading
Liguria, O. ... ss	Plymouth ...	July 23	Via Adel. and Melbrne.
Loch Etive ... sh	Glasgow ...	—	To sail June 25
Loch Long ... sh	Glasgow ...	June 10	
Locksley Hall sh	Liverpool ...	June 29	
Louis ... bq	Hamburg ...	—	To sail in June
Lusitania, O. ... ss	London ...	July 7	Plym'uth July 9
Malaga ... ss	London ...	—	To sail in July, v. A. & M.
Mitredale ... sh	Liverpool ...	June 17	
Min-y-don ... sh	London ...	—	To sail July 15
Nellie M Slade bq	Boston ...	—	Loading
Nelson ... ss	Hongkong ...	—	Left Port Darwin Aug. 19
Nineveh ... sh	London ...	June 6	Plymouth June 8
Nouv. B'l'pne ss	Barcelona ...	March 7	At Singapore April 27
Parramatta ... sh	London ...	—	To sail September 10
Pericles ... sh	London ...	—	Loading
Phasis ... sh	Calcutta ...	May 16	Via Adelaide and Melb.
Potosi, O. ... ss	London ...	—	Plymouth Aug. 7, v. A. & M.
Roderick Dhu sh	London ...	—	Cleared June 27
Royal Oak ... sh	Tacoma ...	—	Loading
Salamanca ... sh	London ...	—	To sail July 5
Shenir ... bq	Liverpool ...	—	Loading
Sikh ... ss	London ...	—	To sail Aug. 5, v. A. & M.
Smyrna ... sh	London ...	June 27	
Sophocles ... sh	London ...	—	To sail July 10
Sonkar ... sh	London ...	June 20	
Stella Maris ... bq	Havre ...	May 15	
Stirlingshire sh	Plymouth ...	—	To sail July 6
Toronto ... ss	London ...	—	To sail August
Thessalus ... sh	London ...	June 15	
W'st'n M'nrch sh	London ...	June 7	Deal June 8.
Wm. Davie ... bq	London ...	—	Loading
Wm. Duthie ... sh	London ...	May 21	Off Scilly May 23
Yarra Yarra ... bq	Liverpool ...	—	Loading

SYDNEY HEADS.

DATE.	TIME.	WIND.	REMARKS.
August 22.	8.30 a.m.	S.E.	Strong and cloudy.
	Noon.	S.E.	Ditto and ditto.
	5 p.m.	S.E.	Gale and raining.

High water at Fort Denison, August 23: 7.10 a.m., 7.31 p.m.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.—August 22.

South Australia reports heavy rains over districts south of Port Augusta, smooth sea, light S.E. winds, and rising barometers round coast; rain—Adelaide 0·410, Port Augusta 0·210, Robe 0·040; Streaky Bay, squally from S.E., 0·150; Port Darwin, fine, S.E., 8; Daly Waters, fine, S., 8; Tennant's and Powell's Creeks, fine light S. and S.E. winds. Victoria: Cloudy all round coast, strong S.E. winds and moderate sea, weather showery and squally, especially to E; rain—Melbourne 0·010, Portland 0·160. New South Wales: Cloudy and raining throughout colony; for measurements, &c., see weather map (page 6); on coast the sea is rising, and the wind increasing from S.E.; barometers are falling all down coast, and a depression at 9 a.m. was over Port Macquarie. Queensland: Cloudy, with variable winds, sea smooth, no rain falling, but measures as follows—Brisbane 0·370, Cape Moreton 0·170. 3 p.m. Observations:—Victoria, barometers steady; Melbourne, S.E., 23, fine, temperature 54°; Portland, E.S.E., 40, squally, rough sea, temperature 55°; Cape Otway, E.S.E., 48, squally, rough sea, temperature 50°; Wilson's Promontory, E.S.E., 34, cloudy, rough sea, temperature 49°; New South Wales: Wentworth, S., fine; temperature 55°; Deniliquin, S.E., 14, fine, temperature 64°; Albury, S.E., strong, fine, temperature 60°; Goulburn, S., dull, temperature 50°; Forbes, calm, cloudy, temperature 55°; Eden, S.E., 42, showery, moderate 53°; Cape George, S.S.E., 42, cloudy, sea rising, temperature 56°; Sydney, S.E., 28, raining, moderate, temperature 52°; Newcastle, S.E., raining, sea rising; Port Macquarie, S., 14, showery, smooth, temperature 63°; Clarence River, N.N.E., like rain, smooth sea, temperature 68°; Menindie, S.W., strong, showery, temperature 59°. New Zealand: Fine generally. State of rivers. —Murrumbidgee: At Balranald, 3 feet above summer level. Murray: At Albury, 4 feet 11 inches above summer level; at Euston, 9 feet 1 inch above summer level. Darling: At Wentworth, 8 feet 6 inches above summer level; at Pooncarie, summer level; at Menindie, summer level; at Wilcannia, summer level. Rainfall at Sydney up to 9 p.m., 1·50 inches. Stations not in map: at 9 a.m., rain at Walcha, 0·18; Glen Innes, 0·70; Moree, 0·34; Wilcannia, 0.13; Menindie, 0·20; Carcoar, 0·43; Singleton, 0·35. There are signs of clearing in the western parts of the colony; on the coast up to 3 p.m. the force of wind and sea was increasing, but the rain has not been very heavy.

Astronomical Memoranda for August 23.—Sun rises at 6.32 a.m., sets at 5.34 p.m.; Moon rises at 5.19 a.m., sets at 5.59 p.m.; Mercury, 6.17 a.m., 4.54 p.m.; Venus, 4.11 a.m., 2.16 p.m.; Mars, 1.36 a.m., 11.36 a.m.; Jupiter, 12.13 a.m., 10.37 a.m.; Saturn, 11.9 p.m., 10.1 a.m. Full moon, 10th, New moon, 25th.

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Mails will be made up at the General Post Office, for the under-mentioned places, as follows:—

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For Port Macquarie.—By the Ne Oblie (s.), this day, at 11 a.m.

For Brisbane and Northern Ports.—By the Alexandra (s.), this day, at 2 p.m.

For Brisbane, Maryborough, and Rockhampton.—By the Derwent (s.), this day, at 3.30 p.m.

For Cape Town (Cape of Good Hope).—Overland to Melbourne, and thence per Catania (s.), this day, at 6 p.m.

For Grafton.—By the City of Grafton (s.), this day, at 8 p.m.

For Merimbula and Eden.—By the Kameruka (s.), on Wednesday, at 9 a.m.

For Hobart and Launceston, via Eden.—By the Tasman (s.), on Thursday, at 3 p.m.

For Macleay River.—By the Queen of the South (s.), on Thursday, at 8 p.m.

For Brisbane.—By the Leichardt (s.), on Thursday, at 3 p.m.

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FOR THE UNITED KINGDOM, CONTINENT OF EUROPE, INDIA, CHINA, &c.

DESPATCHED BY	DATE.	LETTERS.	NEWS-PAPERS.	LATE LETTERS.
P. and O. Co.'s s. s. Kaisar-i-Hind, via Melbourne.	Sat. 27th Aug.	Registered, 4.30 p.m. Unregistered, 5.30pm. Postage, 6d ½-oz.	4.30 p.m. Postage 2d	Extra fee, 6d.

FOR LONDON VIA THE SUEZ CANAL, CALLING AT NAPLES.

Orient Co.'s s. s. Garonne, via Melbourne, at 5.30 p.m.	Fri., 2nd Sept.	Via United Kingdom, postage, 6d ½-oz. Via Naples, postage, 8d ½-oz.	Via Plymouth 1d. Via Naples, 2d.	6 p.m. Extra fee, 6d.

Correspondence by this route to be endorsed per "Garonne."

FOR THE UNITED KINGDOM, HONOLULU, AND SAN FRANCISCO, VIA AUCKLAND.

R.M.S. Australia.	Thur. 8th Sept.	Registered, noon Unregistered, 1 p.m. Postage, 6d ½-oz.	Noon Postage, 1d	......

Late letters received at Post Office 2.30 p.m., extra fee 6d.; and at Custom-house, 2.45 p.m., extra fee 1s.

It is stated that her Majesty's ship Eclipse, at Trincomalee, has been ordered to pay a visit to the island of Diego Garcia to take a survey, as the Orient line of steamships has been in correspondence with the Admiralty as to alleged inaccuracies of the charts issued by the hydrographer. The Eclipse is to settle the question, and see whether the Admiralty charts are as correct as they are supposed to be by the responsible department.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Monday Evening.

In the Stock and Share market the week opened to-day with still advancing quotations for the principal bank stocks; Wesley Tin likewise were firmer; other shares exhibited little change. In Banks, New South Wales were quitted at 62, buyer 61¼, seller 62¼; Union realised 64½, buyer 63, seller 60; Joint Stock Bank had buyer at 15½, seller 17¾; City, buyer 13½, seller 13¾; Commercial, buyer 113, seller 115; Mercantile, buyer 6¼, seller 6½; New Zealand, buyer 24¼, seller 25½—new shares, buyer 24¼, seller 25½; Queensland National, buyer 9½, seller 9¾. In Steam, Australasian were quitted at 22, buyer 22, seller 22¼; Clarence and Richmond, buyer 1¼—preferent stock, buyer 11½, seller 13½; Hunter River, buyer 11¼, seller 12; Illawarra, buyer 7; North Shore Ferry, buyer 25s.; Newcastle, buyer 19s. 9d., seller 21s.; Port Jackson, buyer 52s. 6d., seller 55s. In Insurance, Pacific were firmer, buyer 80s., seller 81s. 6d.; Sydney Marine, buyer 41s. 6d., seller 47s. 6d.; United, buyer 62s., seller 65s.; New Zealand, buyer 80s., seller 84s.; Australian Mutual, buyer 9s.; City Mutual, buyer 9d., seller 1s. 3d.; Mercantile Mutual, seller 1s. 4d. Australian Gaslight were sold at 14½, buyer 11¼, seller 15—new shares realized 11¼, buyer 11¼, seller 11¾. Pyrmont Bridge, buyer 8. Sydney Exchange, buyer 11. Shale and Oil were quitted at 12s. 3d., buyer 12s. 3d., seller 12s. 9d. Volunteer land orders, buyer 140, seller 145. Commercial Building and Investment, buyer 36s. 6d. Sydney Freehold, buyer 17s., seller 18s. 6d. In Coal, Bulli had sellers at 12; Wallsend, buyer 16¼, seller 16¾; Waratah, buyer 6¼, seller 6¾; Vale of Clwydd Coal, buyer 20s. 9d., seller 21s. 6d. Great Cobar Copper were sold at 77s., buyer 76s., seller 78s.; Nymagee were placed at 22s. 9d., buyer 21s., seller 23s. Wesley Tin, buyer 24s. 6d., seller 26s. In Gold, Krohmann's had buyer at 9d., seller 2s.; Star of Peace held for 4s. 3d.; Band and Albion Consols were sold at 9¼ and £9 12s., buyer at 9½, seller at 9¾.

In the Import markets to-day but little business was reported. The splendid rainfall, which now appears to be pretty general, will, there can be no doubt, give a satisfactory impetus to business ere long. The breadstuffs market is increasingly firm, and holders are disinclined to sell at late quotations. Adelaide brands of South Australian flour quoted at £12 15s., and country brands £12 5s.; New South Wales flour, £11 15s. to £12 5s. Teas are moving off in small lots, there being a total absence of speculation. We hear of no changes in values of oilmen's stores. Liquors are likewise dull of sale. Hennessy's case, one star, selling at 36s., and three star up to 50s. A line of Red Heart rum, to arrive, was placed at 23s. Pig stout was noticed at 9s. 9d. for quarts, and 7s. 3d. for pints. In metals, fencing wire is moving off in small lots at £14 15s. for No. 8, and £16 for No. 10 of first brands. Galvanized iron met with some attention—assorted parcels of Braby's sold at £23 10s.; 9ft. and 10ft. sizes from 30s. to £2 10s. more. Heavy-weight sheet lead had sale at £19 5s., and assorted at £19 10s. Cement continues low, owing to the excessive importations. The produce supplies at Darling Harbour were moderate, and the attendance was fair. Best oaten hay, in bundles, is quoted at 5s. 3d. to 5s. 8d., in bales 5s. 3d. to 5s. 9d.; medium quality, 4s. 3d. to 4s. 9d.; wheaten, in bales, 5s. 2d.; chaff very dull—best 4s. 3d. to 4s. 6d.; medium, 3s. 9d. to 4s.; straw chaff dull at 2s. 7d. to 2s. 10d.; straw very dull at 2s. 3d. to 2s. 7d. bales, 2s. 6d. to 3s. for bundles. A small parcel of Windsor maize was disposed of at 3s. 6d. On the wharfs the lucerne hay market remains unchanged, quotations for best samples ranging from £3 7s. to £3 10s., inferior and medium being slow of sale at from £2 10s. to £2 15s. Maize is not so firm as when last reported upon, 3s. 3d. being the price now obtainable for prime samples. Business is not brisk, and in other lines there is no alteration to report.

At the Homebush fat stock sales to-day, 1180 head of fat cattle were yarded. But little alteration was noted in prices. The best lot of bullocks averaged £7 8s., others from £4 3s. 10d. upwards—prices equivalent to 12s. 6d. to £1 per 100 lbs. for inferior to good beef. 9300 sheep were penned. The market was dull, owing to heavy supplies on hand. One lot of crossbreds realised an average of 15s. 10d., others from 7s. 5d. to 7s. 6d.

The Silas Fish, from New York, arrived to-day with a general cargo.

Commenting on the negotiations for the prolongation of the Commercial Treaty with France, the *Spectator* of June 25 says that if power to prolong were granted, immediate advantage should be taken of it, for the uncertainty was already affecting business prejudicially, and would continue to do so in an increasing degree. Meanwhile, the feeling that England would be far better without a treaty than with one which failed to improve the commercial relations between the two countries was growing in intensity, and very emphatic expression had been given to it by the Dundee Chamber of Commerce.

The French official returns of the importations of nickel into France during 1879 show that 561,568 kilos. of nickel ore came from New Caledonia, where lately large deposits of this metal have been discovered.

The following is a return of copper received at Darling Harbour station for week ending 13th August, 1881:—7857 ingots, 192 cakes, 158 bags of ore—equal to 101 tons 2 cwt. 2 qrs.

The Customs duties received to-day were as follows:—Spirits, £1964 0s. 3d.; wine (still), £280 15s.; (sparkling), £3 10s.; ale, porter, and beer (in bottle), 3s.; tobacco and snuff, £92 10s.; tobacco (unmanufactured), £514 3s.; cigars, £115 11s. 7d.; tea, £3077 4s. 9d.; coffee and chicory, £1 13s. 3d.; sugar (unrefined), £156 15s.; molasses, £10 12s. 7d.; opium, £73 10s.; rice, £29 3s. 11d.; dried fruits, £9 10s.; malt, £6 15s.; sarsaparilla, £3 11s. 3d.; specific duty, £399 4s. 10d.; pilotage, £9 13s. 4d.; harbour and light dues, £16 10s.; total, £6764 16s. 9d.

Messrs. Hardie and Gorman report having sold yesterday (Monday), by private contract, the Kurkulla Estate, Marrickville, known as the property of Mrs. Berthon, for £4500; also, block of land in O'Connell-street, having about 40 feet frontage, with buildings thereon, £5100.

Messrs. Pitt, Son, and Badgery will, to-day (Tuesday), at 2 o'clock, offer at auction the Drildool Station, on the Namoi, and the Pokataroo and Oreel stations, on the Barwon River and Thalaba Creek.

Messrs. Bradley, Newton, and Lamb report having sold a block of land in Sussex-street, next Blue Bell Hotel, by order of the executors of the late Mr. Thos. Day, for the sum of £48 10s. per foot; purchasers, Messrs. Barron, Moxham, and Co. Also, block of land, at Waverley, near Clergy Daughters' School, for £2000; purchaser, Mr. George Pile.

LATEST COMMERCIAL TELEGRAM.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The market for breadstuffs is very active, and daily brisker. Flour is readily taken at £11 10s. net. 8000 bags of wheat to-day sold at 5s. 6d., and advancing. Maize, 4s. 6d.

ABSTRACT of SALES by AUCTION THIS DAY.

G. KISS.—At the Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, Vehicles, &c.

T. COSGROVE.—At the Bazaar, at 12, Horses, Vehicles, &c.

W. INGLIS and CO.—At the Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, Vehicles, &c.; at Camperdown, at 2, Horses.

H. VAUGHAN.—On the premises, Old South Head Road, Paddington, at 10.30, Stock-in-trade and Machinery of a Tinsmith, Furniture, &c.; corner John and Moncur streets, Woollahra, at 11, Stock-in-trade, Groceries, Tinware, &c.; at 12, Horse, Cart, &c.; at 2, Furniture &c.

C. MOORE and CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Boots, Shoes, Webs, &c.

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TATE, BROTHERS.—On the premises, Foveaux-street, at 11, Stock-in-trade of a Baker and Confectioner.

R. J. HUGHES and CO.—On the premises, Belgravia-terrace, Harris-street, Pyrmont, at 11, Furniture, &c.

FRASER and CO.—At Smith's Wharf Stores, Miller's Point, at 11, Oats.

KELLETT and ALFORD.—At the Rooms, at 11, Clothing, Drapery, Hosiery, &c.; at 11.45, Towels, Quilts, Shirts, &c.

MACDERMOTT, BROTHERS, and SCARR.—At the Exchange Rooms, at 11, Oreti Station.

PITT, SON, and BADGERY.—At the Exchange, at 2, Drildool, Pokataroo, and Oreel Stations.

WILKINSON, GRAVES, and LAVENDER.—At the Exchange, at 2.30, the Gullandaddy Property.

BRUNKER and WOLFE.—At the Hall of Commerce, at 2, Abbey Glassie, Horsbein, Hertford, Burren, and Merah Stations; at the H. R. N. S. N. Co.'s Wharf, at 10.30, Hay, &c.

NATHAN COHEN and CO.—At the Hall of Commerce, at 12, Tara Station.

MORT and CO.—At their Wool Warehouse, at 10.30, Leather.

MAIDEN, HILL, and CLARK.—At the Rooms, at 10.30, Leather.

F. L. BARKER.—At his Produce Stores, at 10, Tobacco Leaf; at 10.30, Leather.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN.—At their Stores, at 10.30, Leather.

H. L. DUNN and SON.—At their Rooms, at 10.30, Jewellery, &c.

DENT and HOSKIN.—At Newtown, at 9, Wood, &c.; at Darling Harbour, at 10, Wood.

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The area of New South Wales, as last officially stated, is 310,937½ square miles. According to the report of the Occupation of Crown Lands Department just issued, the runs re-appraised last year contain nearly five million acres more than previously estimated, and there has also been a gain of territory by the determination of the South Australian and Queensland boundaries. Whether that will require another correction of the area of the colony we are not told; but leaving it out for the present, and putting together several Parliamentary and other official returns, the disposition of the entire territory can be briefly described. The area sold and given away up to the 30th of last June, corrected for more than four million acres of cancelled, forfeited, and lapsed selections, may be taken at 29 million acres, which represents a capital of as many millions sterling, and, at five per cent., an annual interest of £1,450,000. The area under pre-emptive and auction lease from the Crown embraced 16,766,811 acres at the close of last year, for which the Treasury acknowledged a rent of £55,115, or £2 2s. 3½d. per square mile. Taken at the same rate of interest, that represents a capital of £1,108,300, and makes the land in the hands of the State, under this form of tenure, as worth only 1s. 4d. per acre in fee simple. Supposing the increases in the five-year leaseholds due to a more correct survey and estimate about balance the withdrawals on account of sales and reserves since the issue of the Parliamentary rent-roll of 1878, as Mr. Harrie Wood conjectures in the report just issued, the five-year pastoral lessees hold 133,225,952 acres under this form of tenure, for which the Treasury acknowledged a rent of £167,208 paid, for the most part, last December in advance for the present year, and subject to readjustment for an unspecified number of runs then undergoing reappraisement under the provisions of the last Amending Land Act. The Treasurer gave the outstanding increase of rents at £60,000 last February, but the report issued last week claims only £28,882 as the amount of appraisers' awards. At the rent reported by the Treasury as actually received the average per square mile would be 16s. 1d. per annum, representing a capital, at 5 per cent., of only £3,344,160, or a fee simple of only 6d. per acre for land owned by the State, and let under this form of tenure. The whole area of the colony is thus accounted for, with the exception of about 20 million acres for forests, roads, cities, townships, parks, and other necessary reserves. Hereafter it will be worth while to inquire the reasons for these three prices for the fee simple of the same article, £1 per acre at sale, 1s. 4d. per acre for annual lease, and 6d. per acre for the five year squatting lease, as shown when these different tenures are reduced to equivalent terms. For the present it will be sufficient to notice the use made of the public estate, so far as that can be ascertained.

One of the best aids for this purpose is Mr. Bruce's stock returns, given in the report for last year. According to this authority the colony contained on the 1st January of the present year 370,000 horses, 2,800,000 cattle, and 35,398,121 sheep, the last-named showing an increase of more than five millions upon the previous year. About one-third of the whole number of sheep within the colony are reported for the following eight districts in the order named:—Hillston, Hay, Balranald, Dubbo, Narrandera, Condobolin, Wagga, and Menindie. On page 61 Mr. Bruce says—"In eighteen districts the sheep are depastured wholly in paddocks, and in twenty they are both shepherded and paddocked. Of the whole number of sheep, nine-tenths are now in paddocks, and only about one-tenth shepherded." It would be well if a column were added to the run list showing the area enclosed in every case, in the manner exemplified in the agricultural returns, especially as it has been repeatedly asserted that the bulk of live stock is now depastured on freehold land. The whole area said to be held for agricultural purposes on the 31st of March last, excluding holdings of one acre and less, and also all lands leased from the Crown, was 27,765,318 acres. That must be all freehold land, and it is within about one million acres of the whole area of freeholds within the colony at that date, after correcting for cancelled, lapsed, and forfeited selections. In reality the area under cultivation was only 706,498 acres, and the remaining 27 million acres returned as held for agriculture are used for pastoral purposes just as much as the 16½ million acres under annual lease, and the 133¼ millions under the five-year tenure. Nearly all station property has a freehold homestead, and on many runs valuable bits of land have been purchased, and on some immense freeholds aggregated, for the purpose of a secure tenure. The same stock is depastured partly on the freehold and partly on the leasehold land; and it may be taken for granted that a lessee eats off the Crown grass before touching his own, when there is any fear of scarcity. The whole live stock of the colony represent an equivalent of about 52 millions of sheep, and, dividing these among the 179 million acres of freehold and leased land, we get an average of one sheep to every 3½ acres. The time will come when this proportion will be reversed, as it is in England and many other countries. Subdivision of the runs, permanent water, clearing off scrub and useless timber, are the most effective modes of improving pastoral lands; and the best thing Parliament can do is to encourage lessees to make these improvements as a preparation for the settlement of an industrial population. Artificial crops, ploughing, and manuring will follow; and then the colony will be far less dependent upon precarious seasons and upon the prosperity of one particular industry.

The cast of fat sheep last season is given by Mr. Bruce at 4,424,765, and the wool-clip at 152,317,941 lbs. The actual export of wool last year, seaward and overland, reached 162,486,322 lbs., valued at £8,437,534. The difference is to be accounted for mainly by the re-export of Queensland wool. Allowing for that the value of the wool produced in New South Wales for the year in question exceeds eight millions sterling, and is itself equivalent to a return of one penny per acre for the entire area of the colony, leased, sold, and reserved lands all included. The average rent the State received for the 133 million acres let under the five-years tenure was barely one-third of a penny per acre. A public estate which yields so rich a harvest must be badly managed not to be worth to the State a much better rent than that.

It is quite clear that if small-pox is to be stamped out, there must not only be vigorous and intelligent action on the part of the Government, but there must be hearty co-operation on the part of the people. It is everybody's business to arrest the spread of the disease, and everybody that has a chance of assisting must do so. Exactly how the disease was first introduced is still a puzzle, but there can be no doubt that its spread has been due to mismanagement. Nothing can be done effectively unless early information is obtained of every fresh case, and patients or their immediate friends should see that the truth is told in the proper quarters as soon as it is known. Yet up to the present time there is scarcely a case that has not been reported by neighbours, to whose vigilance and natural alarm it has been due that there has not been more neglect, and more opportunity for the spread of infection. Some of the later cases show that there has been very considerable concealment, and consequently prolonged opportunity for mischief to get abroad. It is obvious that one case of this kind might more than neutralise the precautions taken in a dozen others. It is useless to save at the spigot while there is a big leak at the bunghole. When Won Ping tried to dodge the police, his conduct, and that of his countrymen, was put down to Chinese secretiveness. But it is quite clear that people who have not yellow skins can keep a thing dark.

Part of the concealment has probably been due to a natural fear of being dealt with in the way in which patients and their relatives have been treated by the Government, which has not been judicious. Patients have been removed to quarantine in a way little suited to their condition, and the rest of the family have been boxed up in a very unwholesome fashion. People have been afraid that they might be roughly treated, and have preferred to hold their tongues to having the police down upon them. The way to conquer this is to establish a better system of dealing with persons who are infected or suspected. With a suitable hospital, and suitable ambulance conveyance, patients may be removed with a minimum of inconvenience and risk, and the disinfecting process of the house which they have quitted should be conducted so promptly as to reduce the chance of further contagion to a minimum. Now that the Government has a disinfecting corps at command, all this may be done without loss of time. But what we wish to impress on the minds of all concerned is that there is no need for a slavish dependence on the Government. There is nothing that a Government corps can do which people cannot do for themselves. The only object in having such a corps is to make sure that the work is done, and to do it where houses are deserted. But anybody can see to the burning of sulphur in a room, to the washing of all suspicious linen in Condy's fluid, to the scrubbing of floors with the same disinfectant, and sweeping yards, and flushing drains, and letting in plenty of air and sunlight. It is probably more ignorance than indolence that is at the bottom of a great deal of neglect; but what has to be done is so simple that there is no difficulty in getting it done where there is a will. Heads of households may do a good deal in seeing that their premises are kept properly clean, and many persons may confer a social advantage by instructing their less helpful neighbours. It is perfectly certain, however, that a community we must not sit down and leave everything to the Government, but that households must look after their own interests, and not decline to have an eye on those of their neighbours. The disease has not yet got such a hold that it cannot be stamped out if the population all pull together, but the citizens must wake up to the fact that there must be concert and co-operation as well as self-help. Extreme—that is to say, unusual—cleanliness is the first of all requisites, and sulphur fumigation is the next most simple precaution. Of course it is in the neighbourhood of infected houses that the greatest energy is required, but a systematic purification would soon give the disease little chance. Hitherto it has been allowed an ample opportunity, but it is abundantly clear now that people must be more on the alert, and exert themselves at the right time and in the right way.

The Irish Land Bill has become law without any violent strain upon the Constitution, or even any prolonged controversy between the two Houses. The House of Lords did what it could, and stopped when it could do no more. Mr. Gladstone, on his part, made a bridge of gold for a flying enemy; and, by some concessions which do not appear to have touched the essence of the measure, enabled the Upper House to retire from an untenable position. Something has been yielded to the remonstrances of the Conservative party; but in the main that party has yielded to the majority.

It now remains to be seen how far the new policy will answer its purpose. The essence of the system is the Land Court, which is practically to be an official and judicial arbitration. It is a novelty, but there has been an increasing disposition of late on the part of Irish landlords to accept it as a practical remedy. A good deal will depend on how it is worked; but if the traditions of British Courts survive, if the appointments are good, and if substantial justice is worked out, then the landlords will have as much to be thankful for as the tenants; for if on the one hand there will be an end to cruel evictions, on the other there ought to be an end to Boycotting, assassination, and the non-payment of rent. No tenant will be able to claim public sympathy for his refusal to pay what has been officially declared to be a fair rent, and if landlords can get themselves practically guaranteed a fair rent, they will be better off than when getting a little too much one year, and a great deal too little another. Justice is the great thing to be aimed at, and if that can be established, then the public conscience will be satisfied.

It is, of course, too much to hope for that quiet will be immediately restored. Justice is not what some of the people have been aiming at, and in the wild talk that has been rampant hopes have been excited in the minds of some of the peasantry which cannot possibly be realised. People who have been led to expect that they might stick to the land, and pay no rent, are not likely to be made entirely happy by being told that henceforth strict justice will be enforced between them and their landlords. There is, however, a very large class of tenants who will be thankful for the shelter which the Court will give them. All the most trustworthy accounts go to show that a very large number of tenants have been quite able and willing to pay their rents, but they were afraid of doing so for fear of the League. They have made the rent, and they have it in hand, and did not want to run the risk of eviction for non-payment; but while the Land League was more powerful than the Government, they were more afraid of the former than of the latter. Now that fair rents

are to be settled by a Land Court, the ground for refusing to pay a fair rent will be cut away, and when anything like a universal refusal of rent ceases to be the practice, those who are disposed to refuse will lose all the moral support they have hitherto had. It will take some time, however, for order to be restored, and for contracts to become once more respected; and the efficacy of the new measure will to some extent be determined by the rapidity with which the country settles down to orderly industry. In the first instance the action of the Courts will be looked for with great curiosity, but by degrees there will grow up a body of law and of practice which will supersede disputes. When people on both sides see how the Courts go, on what principles they adjudicate, and how they deal with the arguments on either side, landlords and tenants will both adjust themselves to the newly established state of things, and will save the trouble of going to Court by voluntarily adopting a settlement in harmony with what they can foresee the decision of the Court would be.

The complaint of the MAYOR that his authority to visit Public schools in the interest of the public health had been denied by the Government, coupled with the condition of the Public school in Lower Bourke-street, upon which we commented on Friday, has evoked some further correspondence and explanations, from which the facts of the case can be stated more fully. On the 27th July the notice to abate the nuisance was issued to the Under-Secretary by order of the Municipal Council. Next day, upon the information of the School-Inspector, the architect visited the buildings, and recommended certain improvements, which could be only partially carried out, because the school is non-vested, and the owner objects to incur the expense except upon a longer lease. While the business was being corresponded about, minuted, and reported upon, the Inspector of Nuisances called again on the 18th August, and reported to the City Council as stated last week. Four days later, as we now learn, the premises were cleaned and whitewashed, and arrangements made for deodorising and disinfecting them twice a week. So far, that is satisfactory; but there was an intolerable amount of circumlocution required to get it through. Had the Inspector of Nuisances kept away, would the state of things he so emphatically condemns have been allowed to continue? Elsewhere our readers will find proof, from a statement of our own reporter, that still more radical reforms are required before the sanitary condition of these buildings is suitable for a large Public school. In regard to the other question, the right of the MAYOR officially to visit public buildings appears to be denied on the opinion of the ATTORNEY-GENERAL in the case of the Central Police Court on the 7th of February last. But that opinion refers only to the City of Sydney Improvement Act, and has no necessary bearing upon the 117th section of the Sydney Corporation Act, which expressly subjects Public schools to the jurisdiction of the City Health Officer, the Inspector of Nuisances, "or any other officers or servants of the Council." Even under the City Improvement Act there may be room to question whether the Government buildings within the city boundaries do not come within the powers of the City Council, when those buildings get into the condition so long exemplified in the Central Police Court. But as to schools, the law seems clear enough to laymen, and the reason of the thing is beyond cavil. Place the school buildings of the metropolis out of the reach of the Nuisance Inspector, and his functions are abolished exactly where they are most necessary; and if the law did restrain him, the case in Lower Bourke-street would be a strong argument for an amendment of the law itself. But that does not seem to be necessary, for the Education Department has practically acknowledged his authority, in however partial and imperfect a manner. We direct the attention of our readers to the details given elsewhere; and, after perusing them, most taxpayers will be of opinion that some better accommodation might be provided for their children by a department which has the spending of some £600,000 per annum of public money.

Coal has been struck, we are told, at a point about twelve miles north of Gosford, and the discovery has been made by the use of the diamond drill. This is a step in the direction of determining the disputed question as to the existence of a coal-basin under Sydney. Coal crops out to the north of Sydney at Lake Macquarie, and to the south of Sydney at Coal Cliffe, and though the seams are not identical, the common presumption has been that the coal formation is continuous under Port Jackson and Botany Bay. Some of the geologists who visited us at the time of our International Exhibition disputed the soundness of this presumption, and maintained that there was no adequate geological proof forthcoming. Several bores have been put down in the neighbourhood of Sydney, with a view of setting the matter at rest by practical demonstration, but none of them have succeeded in reaching coal. If, however, the seams dip north and south respectively, it may be possible, with the aid of the drill, to follow the seams in the direction of their dip, and so by degrees approach the centre of the basin. The two railways that have been sanctioned from the metropolis towards the Northern and Southern coal-fields respectively will stimulate explorations of this kind. The search north of Gosford has been made in anticipation of the facilities to be offered by railway transit; for a coal mine is useless without a railway, and we know now that coal is within six hundred feet of the surface, half-way between the Hunter and the Hawkesbury. The Illawarra line will lead to similar researches being made between Coal Cliffe and Port Hacking. As our discoveries approach the metropolis on both sides, we shall find out how near to the city good working seams are to be found at a payable depth.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

ANOTHER case of small-pox was found to exist yesterday in Sussex-street, near Fowler-street, and a supposed case in Irving-street, off Abercrombie-street.

YESTERDAY was the first day of term, and the Supreme Court, sitting in Banco, disposed of some small matters, and then adjourned.

IN the matter of the recent appeal case of John Palmer and the Redfern Municipality, his Honor Judge Cohen delivered judgment yesterday morning in favour of Palmer, the appellant, with costs against the municipality. The case arose out of the construction of a balcony along the front of the Belmore Hotel, Redfern. His Honor stated that it appeared to him that the Act 2 Victoria No. 2 had been passed with the object of keeping pathways free from obstruction to the public, and that as the Legislature had said that an awning might be erected provided it was not less than 8 feet above the footway, and the posts placed close up to the kerbstone, he did not see that the mere fact of putting a roof over that awning was in any way an inconvenience to the public, or that it was "an addition or alteration which projected or encroached on any part of the pathway," as set forth by the Act. In Maxwell on Statutes it was laid down that where any ambiguous sentence, in a penal statute, left a reasonable doubt of its meaning, which the canons of interpretation failed to solve, the benefit of the doubt should be given to the subject, and against the Legislature which had failed to explain itself. In this case he had no doubt as to the interpretation of the section referring to obstructions; but if he had, that opinion given by Maxwell would have justified him in giving the subject the benefit of that doubt. His Honor also gave the opinion that under the 28th section of the Act the Mayor might take proceedings without being specially authorised by the Council; but in this case the question did not arise, as the information was laid in the name of the Mayor, and he could therefore regard him as a private citizen without any reference as to whether he was mayor or not. Mr. T. M. Slattery appeared for the appellant, and Mr. W. J. Foster, instructed by Mr. T. M. Williamson, appeared for the respondent.

JUDGE DOWLING stated in the District Court, yesterday, that since the new Act came into operation he had been compelled to adopt the practice of taking notes in all cases for amounts over £10, and the result had been to throw the work so much into arrear that he anticipated there would be forty remanets from the sittings, while, under the old system, there would probably have been none. He felt confident that the new rule would have the effect of delaying the work of the Court very considerably.

AN incident quite unusual in legal procedure occurred in the District Court yesterday. Judge Dowling, in referring to the costs to be awarded in a case, said that he would allow £10 10s. fee for each of the barristers—Mr. G. B. Simpson and Mr. Bruce Smith—engaged in the case, as it was a jury cause. Both barristers suggested £8 8s. as quite sufficient, and his Honor acquiesced, remarking that it was something new in his experience to hear barristers object to their fees as being too high.

THE new gasworks at Five Dock for supplying Ashfield and Burwood are now completed, and to-morrow night, if all goes well, these two suburbs will be lighted with gas for the first time. We publish a description of the works in another column.

IN connection with the forthcoming Exhibition of the Art Society of New South Wales, it is intended to hold an art union on the English principle, the prizes, ranging in value from two to fifty guineas, being selected from among the pictures to be shown on the 3rd October. The drawing will take place on the 1st October, and every member of the art union will receive a large and very handsome photograph by Boyd of Piguenit's monochrome, "Forest Life in Tasmania—the Midday Rest." The original picture, which is of characteristic beauty, received first prize from the society in the recent competition, and the photograph, with its soft tints and clear outlines, is a most successful reproduction of it. The tickets are fixed at a guinea each, and in the interests of colonial art it is to be hoped that they will be liberally taken up.

Two large photographs of the Detached Squadron, as it lay at anchor off Farm Cove, are now on view at the Free Public Library, and they are interesting, both as fine specimens of the photographic art and as records of an interesting event in our history. They bear the stamp of the Government Printing Office, and are among the best work ever turned out there: for each vessel of the squadron is shown clearly and distinctly, and the waters of the harbour, with the yachts and boats gliding over them, the undulating line of the North Shore, and the little crowd of spectators at Man-of-war Stairs, are brought out well. The light and shade of each picture are good, and both photographs are well finished.

THE *Courier* gives the following account of the riding party which started from Government House, Brisbane, on the morning of August 17:—Groups formed along the pavements in George and Queen streets, and in most of the balconies overlooking the roadway, and waited patiently for the promised cavalcade. At about a quarter to 12 o'clock it made its appearance, turning the corner of George and Queen streets. An open carriage came first, with the Governor, Captain Lord Charles Scott, Vice-Admiral Earl Clanwilliam, and Mrs. F. T. Gregory. After the carriage Prince Edward rode with Miss Kennedy, another carriage followed, and then a group of horsemen and horsewomen, among whom was Prince George. The order changed as the party neared Petrie's Bight, Miss Kennedy's horse being made very restive by the continued and enthusiastic cheers which greeted the Princes as they passed along, and the Royal lads took their places one on either side of her. For the benefit of country readers it may be stated that the Princes sit their horses in a manner that might advantageously be copied by many a young colonial who may be very good after scrubbers, but who has not paid attention to the elegancies of horsemanship. The party went down along the Breakfast Creek Road, turning off to ride over the high ground near Eldernell and coming out on the racecourse. From there they crossed over to the Sandgate Road, coming out on it near the residence of Mr. R. Little, and then went on past the Albion to the Bowen Bridge Road, returning past the hospital, and by Gregory and Wickham terraces, Creek-street, Queen-street, and George-street, arriving at Government House about half-past 1.

THE proprietors of the *Cumberland Mercury* have erected new premises at the corner of Church and Macquarie streets, Parramatta, which on Thursday evening last were thrown open to the public, and a large number of visitors was the consequence. The various departments were inspected by them, all in working order, and many who had never witnessed the process of printing before were initiated into its mysteries. Mr. Fuller entertained the Cumberland band after the departure of the visitors.

AT the meeting of the Marine Board yesterday afternoon, there were present Captain Hixson (president), Captains Broomfield, Fox, M'Lean, Robertson, and Jenkins, and Commander Lindeman (secretary). The case of the Gosford Packet, which vessel was lost in consequence of missing stays, was concluded; and the Board, after finding in accordance with the evidence, added that nothing had been adduced upon which to found a charge of default against the master, Captain M'Kay. Captain Fox then retired, and an inquiry was commenced into the circumstances attending the collision between the Illawarra and the Civility, which occurred near Kiama, on the 13th instant. Mr. Daintrey and Mr. J. Want watched the inquiry on behalf of the several parties interested, and evidence was given on behalf of the owners of the Illawarra. John Garde, the master; the Rev. Thomas Wilson and A. Buchanan, passengers; and some of the crew of the Illawarra were examined. It transpired from their statements that the Illawarra was a paddle steamer of 313 tons, belonging to the Illawarra Steam Navigation Company, and that the Civility was a steam collier. The Illawarra was disabled, but no lives were lost or persons injured, neither was much damage done. The event took place while it was dark, and it was alleged that the Civility's lights were not visible, and that she was not observed until within about thirty yards of the other steamer. In consequence of the numerous witnesses that are to be called, the inquiry was adjourned until 10 o'clock the following day.

A MEETING of the committee of the St. Vincent's Annual Ball took place yesterday evening, at the Royal Hotel, Mr. Blanchard in the chair. It was stated that the arrangements which had been made for the holding of the ball on July 26 had been rearranged for September 6, and that the tickets printed for July 26 will be the tickets that will be made use of. A very satisfactory report was made with regard to the sale of tickets; and there is every probability that the ball will be a brilliant success.

THE Rev. W. Allworth was announced to deliver a lecture at the Temperance Hall last evening, in reply to the Rev. A. B. Davis, on the subject of the "Lost Ten Tribes," but in consequence of the inclemency of the weather the lecture was postponed, and a reading on the subject of "The Fifth Empire" was substituted.

"A RESIDENT" of Forest Lodge has written on a matter to which the attention of the police authorities might justifiably be directed. He says that he and his family have suffered, and are suffering, from the annoyance of larrikins who gather in various parts of the locality in considerable numbers. A policeman is only occasionally seen in the lower part of the Lodge, and the larrikins take advantage of the fact to indulge in coarse language, and frequently to engage in gambling. They frequent the corner of Junction-street with Pyrmont Bridge, as well as the omnibus stand, but sometimes congregate in other localities. "Pax" writes to say that larrikinism is on the increase in Balmain, and that something should be done to punish those who engage in it. They are of all ages, and assemble at the corner of Darling and Union streets, and idle there, using, at the same time, insulting language to passers-by.

A MAN named Frederick White, 55 years of age, and 5 feet 4 inches in height, escaped from the Hospital for the Insane, at Parramatta, on the 19th instant.

EARLY on Sunday morning a man named John O'Donough, residing at Leichhardt, received various injuries of a severe character, in consequence of the cart in which he was driving capsizing. The wheel of the vehicle passed over one of his legs, and fractured both bones of it.

ON Saturday afternoon Mr. Samuel B. Southby, a railway surveyor, fell down the hold of the steamer City of Adelaide, pitching upon his head and shoulders. Mr. Southby was removed to the Sydney Infirmary, where, on examination, it was found that he had fractured his right collar-bone, and that blood was issuing from his right ear. On inquiry yesterday, we learned that the patient was progressing favourably.

A WOMAN named Jane Buckle, who is supposed to have resided at Parramatta, was received into the Sydney Infirmary on July 1, and died in that institution on Sunday. When admitted she was suffering from a fracture of one of her legs, which, it was alleged, was broken in consequence of her slipping from a tram-car at Redfern. The bones of her leg had almost united, when she was attacked with typhoid fever, which caused her death. The police are anxious to obtain information respecting the deceased. The Infirmary books contain very little.

A CORRESPONDENT of the *Illawarra Mercury* states that fair progress is being made with the jetty at Coalcliff. Two piles were put in position last week, and two more on August 17, which is good work, considering the uncertainty of the sea. At this rate the jetty may be finished within five or six weeks, as only five more spans have to be erected. Each span being 20 feet long, 100 feet of the structure yet remains to be placed.

WE learn from the New Zealand papers that the entrance of Tawhiao, the Maori king, and his followers into the township of Mercer, the famed Te Ia, the boundary of the Maori kingdom, was a splendid sight to see. The men marched in good order, and kept good step. They were welcomed by the natives of the place in a most enthusiastic manner, and led to their several quarters. After making the necessary arrangements they dispersed about the township. In the afternoon they had service, at which they behaved with a surprising reverence. Tawhiao was much affected when he entered Mercer, and appeared nervous and agitated, because he had just passed Rangariri, and was in sight of Meremere and Te Koheroa, where so many of his relatives fell in battle. One curious feature with respect to this visit of the King and his people to Waikato is that they have adopted a motto for their trip. That motto is Tara-hou, or "The cock-crow." The word Tara-hou, when uttered as the Maoris do, is exceedingly like the call of chanticleer, and they heighten the effect by imitating the flapping of wings. If you asked a Maori what was the meaning of their coming to Waikato at the present time, he would probably wave his arms and call out "Tara-hou!" and think it quite unnecessary to give any further explanation. The signification is, however, quite patent—"The dawning of a new day." Wahanui is said to be the originator of the motto. Wahanui has only of late years become known as the most prominent counsellor of the king, and his present name is a new one. He was a very prominent man in the Kingite agitation before the war, when he was known by the name of Te Reihana Whakahoehoe. Tawhiao returned from Mercer to Ngaruawahia on the 4th August.

WE are authorized (says the *Goulburn Herald*) to state that, through the munificence of one of the truest friends of the Church of England in New South Wales, the vast diocese of Goulburn is about to be subdivided. The Hon. John Campbell, M.L.C., of Sydney, has set apart for the glory of God and the good of his Church £10,000 towards the endowment of a new Church of England see, which is to be formed out of the western part of that of Goulburn and a portion of that of Bathurst. A correspondence upon this subject has for some time been carried on with the authorities of the Church in England, and it is expected that ere long some of the preliminary arrangements will be settled. The limits of the proposed diocese and the seat of the new bishop have not yet been determined, but it is understood that the parishes of Wagga Wagga and Albury will remain in the diocese of Goulburn, and that the eastern boundary of the new see will be the western limits of those parishes and of parishes similarly situated in the diocese of Bathurst. This great and unprecedented act of the Hon. John Campbell, which, however, is only in unison with the whole tenor of a long life of munificent deeds in behalf of the Church, is worthy of all praise. It is a noble example, which may well be commended for imitation to all the members of the Church of England whom God has blessed with worldly prosperity.

THE *Albury Banner* states that Messrs. Robertson (Cobb and Co.), who recently purchased Ournie station, on the Upper Murray, purpose going in on a large scale for the breeding of mules. The firm have already made the experiment of substituting mules for horses in ordinary coaching work, with the most satisfactory results. The mules, it is said, are much handier than horses, and without distress will perform double the amount of work. The popular impression that mules are particularly intractable appears only to hold good in the case of mongrels, the cross between a well-bred donkey and a mare of equal quality being an animal of great docility as well as endurance. The sire used by Messrs. Robertson is an imported animal, of the pure Spanish breed, and valued at £1000. If the earlier experiments of the firm should be followed up by equally successful results from the stock now being raised, we may expect in a few years to see the horse giving place to the mule in all coaching work throughout the colony.

ON the occasion of the presentation of an address to Mr. Justice Williams by the members of the Australian Natives' Association a day or two ago his Honor, in the course of his reply (as reported in the Melbourne *Telegraph*), said:—"In all that concerned Australians he took a warm and deep interest—in their schools or universities, either abroad or in England, in Parliament, in the cricket field, and on the river. He would be a thorough ingrate did he not possess those feelings in common with them all, because to this colony he owed all that he prized—his prosperity, happy home, and the present high position he now held. And he had one piece of news to give them, which he trusted they would receive with pleasure, and that was this—that he had six little infants at home, well, able, bright, and intelligent, and, although he was their father, he thought he might state promising children of the soil, to whom, perhaps, the next generation might be found to accord the same high opinions the present had accorded to him."

A VERY extraordinary case came before the Victorian Supreme Court in Chambers, on Friday last. The *Argus* reports that an application was made before Mr. Justice Higinbotham for the discharge from custody of a child, 13 years of age, named Elizabeth Marshall, who is detained in gaol under a conviction for sly grog-selling. In December last a person named Rowley went to the house of one Gilbert Marshall, near Whittlesea, and bought some liquor from the girl. He asked her name, and she said "Fanny Marshall." A summons was then taken out against her for selling liquor without a license. The summons was taken out as against "Fanny Marshall," and was served by its being left at the house. It was heard at the Whittlesea police court, when a sister of the prisoner's appeared. Her name was Fanny Marshall, and it was admitted that she was not the girl who supplied the liquor. The magistrates proceeded to hear the case, and made an order against "Fanny Marshall," by which she was fined £25 and costs, in default distress. The return was *nulla bona*, and a summons was issued calling upon Fanny Marshall to show cause why she should not be imprisoned, and on this an order was made for three months' imprisonment in default of payment of the fine and costs. This order was made some months ago, and on it the girl Elizabeth Marshall was arrested, and was lodged in the Melbourne gaol on Wednesday last. It was contended on her behalf that the proceedings against her were wrong, as she was not "Fanny Marshall," but it was urged by Mr. M'Cormick, in support of the conviction, that it did not matter what name was in the proceedings so long as the person who committed the offence was the person charged and against whom the order was sought to be enforced, and it was for the justices to say whether service of the summonses had been properly made. Mr. Justice Higinbotham, to whom the application for release was made, adjourned the case till Monday for further affidavits, and the child was taken back to gaol, crying bitterly. Her father was at the court with her.

AMONG the papers which are to be printed as appendices to the Treasurer's Budget speech (says the *Register*) are three interesting returns in reference to the land of South Australia. The total area of South Australia proper is 243,244,800 acres. The area sold and selected to June 30, 1881, is 9,139,819 acres. For this the Government have actually received £7,505,814. There is now owing a sum of £4,584,028, making a total of £12,089,842. Leases with right of purchase include 489,000 acres, on which £7804 has been paid. The land leased for pastoral purposes (including annual leases) amounts to 116,037,000 acres, and 9,963,000 acres are claimed under perpetual rights for pastoral leases. The amount paid on these two lines amounts to £56,758. There are 6,204,000 acres held on commonage licenses, on which £6200 has been paid. The land absolutely unoccupied and unclaimed is returned as 101,111,981 acres. Between the time of passing the Land Act of 1868-9 until June 30, 1881, 1,660,026 acres were sold for cash or alienated, the area held on credit at the end of the last financial year being 3,607,003 acres.

THE Melbourne *Argus* has been requested by the clerk of Presbytery at Castlemaine to give publicity to the following statement:—1. At a meeting of the Castlemaine Presbytery, held on Tuesday afternoon, it was unanimously agreed to forward the following overture to the meeting of the General Assembly, to be held in Melbourne on the second week of November:—"The attention of the Presbytery has been called to the report of a speech, contained in the *Argus*, said to have been delivered by Mr. J. C. Stewart, at a meeting of the congregation of Scots Church, Melbourne, held on the 15th instant, wherein he is represented as having affirmed most unwarrantably and inaccurately 'that in the Confession of Faith he found it stated that the world and all things therein, whether visible or invisible, were created in the space of six days of 24 hours each; that in order to satisfy the justice of God . . . . millions and millions of people have been sent to eternal perdition simply because they never knew of Christ; that there are elect and non-elect, and that the elect will be saved whether they like it or not, and that the non-elect—do what they can—cannot be saved; that there is such a thing as the eternal damnation of infants who have never lisped a name; and, further, that the men who pretend (and, by necessary consequence, the men who profess) to assert, maintain, and defend all the doctrines contained in the Confession, are dishonest men.' It was unanimously resolved that the Presbytery be overtured to take whatever steps may be deemed necessary to vindicate our Church against a misrepresentation of her doctrines so gross and unprovoked, and to defend her ministers from so wanton an attack on their intelligence and honesty, inasmuch as but for such a vindication it might be naturally presumed from Mr. Stewart's position as an elder of the Church, and her recognized law agent, that his representations of her doctrines and of the opinions and character of her ministers are founded on truth and on information well authenticated."

A PUBLIC meeting will be held at the Masonic Hall this evening in aid of the fund for the relief of the persecuted Jews in Russia. The chair will be taken by Sir John Robertson, K.C.M.G., at 8 o'clock.

THE following is the report of the Sydney Infirmary for the week ended 20th August, 1881:—Admitted, 35 males, 17 females: total, 52; discharged—41 males, 7 females: total, 48; died—7 males, 6 females: total, 13; remaining—118 males, 54 females: total, 172.

THE Service of Song announced for to-day at St. Stephen's Church, Phillip-street, has been postponed until further notice on account of the weather.

SMALL-POX.

It was intended yesterday to release a large number of persons from the Quarantine ground, but the weather was so boisterous that it would not have been safe to have attempted to convey them back by any such frail craft as the steam launch Pinafore. When the weather moderates, these people will be allowed to return to the city.

Arrangements had also been made for the removal of three patients from the city to North Head, but the weather also prevented these arrangements from being carried out.

The dead body of the child Florence Ryder was conveyed to the Quarantine ground yesterday, and buried there.

One of the infected houses at the corner of Sussex and Fowler streets, near that which was occupied by Verdich, was visited by the Government doctor yesterday, when it was found that a child named Margaret Lindsay, aged 13 years, was suffering from a mild attack of small-pox. Last evening a house in Irving-street, off Abercrombie-street, was also visited, and a boy, aged five years, was found to manifest symptoms similar to those of small-pox. The Government doctor could not be found last night, he, it is alleged, being about seeking fresh lodgings. The services of Dr. Duigan, who was formerly employed by the Government, but resigned, were obtained. In the case of the boy in Irving-street the disease had not sufficiently developed to enable the doctor to express an opinion as to the precise nature of it.

We understand that On, Chong, and Co. estimate their direct losses, through their business premises being quarantined, at £2000, and have sent in a bill to the Colonial Treasurer for that amount. They deny that their child or nurse ever had small-pox.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I cannot consider Dr. M'Credie's reply to my query satisfactory. I agree with him that "experience and tabulated results" are the best of proofs. Moses and all the prophets may have used vinegar in their practice, but their doing so is no proof of its utility. As to no authentic case of small-pox occurring among the employees of a vinegar factory, I think Dr. M'Credie ought to have given his authority for this statement, and also to have informed me where the "tabulated results" to which he refers are to be obtained. That I am not alone in my opinion as to the valuelessness of vinegar I quote the words of Dr. Angus Smith, an acknowledged authority on disinfection. Speaking of vinegar and vegetable acids generally he says, "Vegetable acids are weak. Fermentation and putrefaction go on in these acids. Animals of a low type are generated in them, and we cannot therefore expect that germs will be destroyed by them." Baron Liebig thought that if vinegar had any disinfecting power it was principally due to mechanical action, it takes up ammonia, and with it the organic substances to which it gives wing. I do not believe this, but even if correct it is true of all acids.

Over Dr. M'Credie's letter appears a note signed "Citizen," urging the use of sulphurous acid. Like vinegar, this gas has the authority of antiquity for its use, but unlike vinegar, it is a real and powerful disinfectant and deodoriser: it has however its disadvantages. Disinfectants are of two classes. 1. The non volatile, which act on the air by coming in contact with successive portions of it. 2. The volatile, which diffuse themselves throughout the atmosphere, and act on every molecule thereof. Burning sulphur, as recommended by "Citizen," is the popular and effective method of producing sulphurous acid gas. To keep sulphur continuously burning is, however, troublesome, and the amount of gas evolved is so great, that, if not positively injurious to health, it is certainly disagreeable. In the form of sulphite of lime or soda, sulphurous acid is an excellent disinfectant, but in this state it is of course non-volatile.

The city authorities have wisely, I believe, chosen chlorine as the disinfectant to be used in the quarantined houses. It is the most powerful of disinfectants practically available, and can be simply and continuously produced. In small quantities it imparts a refreshing and invigorating tone to the atmosphere, while it effectually destroys all germs with which it comes in contact. Unfortunately, however, the Ambulance Corps, acting, I suppose, under instructions from the Board of Health, use in their disinfecting operations sulphur and carbolic acid. These coming in contact with the chlorine employed by the Corporation, a reaction, destructive of the disinfecting powers of both, results. Moist sulphurous acid in the presence of chlorine produces sulphuric acid, whilst chlorine acts readily on carbolic acid (phenol), forming pentachlorophenol, a non-disinfectant. Joyes' fluid, with which the streets adjacent to the infected houses are watered, I have not analysed, but it appears to be simply saponified wood tar, and I am doubtful of its value as a disinfectant.

In conclusion I would add that much misconception exists as to the meaning of a disinfectant. Popularly it is supposed that cloaking, masking, or overpowering one evil odour by another is the aim of the sanitary chemist. A perfect disinfectant would have no smell. By disinfectants scientific men understand "substances which can prevent infectious diseases from spreading by destroying their specific poisons."

J. GUTHRIE MURRAY,
Sydney, 20th August. Analytical Chemist.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The pretty little Borough of Darlington between the boundary-stone of Sydney and Newtown and the undulating land from the University to the creek which divides this borough from Redfern, which should be a perfect sanitarium, is, I regret to state, afflicted with that dreadful subtle disease small-pox.

Some time ago the municipal authorities of this borough were communicated with about a most obnoxious effluvium, which stuck to the nostrils and throat, emanating from the drains, while a scavenger was shovelling the filth into his cart. I recommended the use of "carbolic acid solution" every time he is in the execution of this duty, which should be performed at an early hour in the morning, and not (as is the case) throughout the day—and that only twice a week, instead of every morning. This confirms my conviction of the absolute necessity of a paid health officer (not believing altogether in honorary appointments), who will see to the sanitary condition, and prevent the evils arising from the present unsatisfactory state of things. I am, &c.,

THOMAS HOGG.
Darlington House, Newtown Road, August 22.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Allow me to suggest that ministers, as well as medical men, be allowed to visit small-pox patients, without risk of being sent to quarantine, providing they wear a suitable dress. I imagine that there is no Christian minister worthy of the name who would shrink from this important duty if quarantine dangers were removed; but we object, for the sake of visiting one sufferer, to be shut out, for several weeks, from important work, probably including visits to many other sufferers, though not from small-pox.

I would also suggest that the services of some Christian minister, who is at present free from church work, and who has had small-pox, be secured for the sufferers at the quarantine grounds. Yours, respectfully,

Burwood, August 22. G. G. HOWDEN.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

[BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.]

OUR SPECIAL TELEGRAM.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

THE TRANSVAAL CONVENTION.

LONDON, AUG. 22.

The elections for the Transvaal Volksraad are now proceeding. The majority of the candidates are bitterly opposed to the Convention, which has been signed, but which awaits ratification by the Volksraad.

SECOND SUEZ CABLE.

LONDON, AUG. 22.

The laying of a second cable through the Suez Canal and Red Sea, to start from Alexandria, under English auspices, is being advocated.

TURKEY AND GREECE.

LONDON, AUG. 22.

The Greeks have commenced to occupy the province of Thessaly, which was recently ceded by Turkey to Greece.

TRANSPORTATION OF NIHILISTS.

LONDON, AUG. 22.

Two hundred Nihilists, who were arrested and subsequently convicted of being concerned in various plots against the life of the Czar, are about to be transported from Russia to Siberia.

THE IRISH LAND BILL.

LONDON, AUG. 22.

Mr. John Dillon, in haranguing a large assemblage of people at Tipperary in regard to the Irish Land Act, said that under the provisions of the measure the landlords would be enabled to benefit themselves at the expense of the tenants.

THE SWISS SOCIALISTS.

LONDON, AUG. 22.

The Socialists in Switzerland have threatened to establish a dynamite tribunal.

THE IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

LONDON, AUG. 22.

The Appropriation Act has passed the House of Commons, and the House has adjourned until Saturday next, when it is expected Parliament will be prorogued.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

CONDITION OF GENERAL GARFIELD.

WASHINGTON, AUG. 21.

The physicians in attendance on General Garfield issued a bulletin to-night, stating that the health of the General is less favourable than when the last was issued. The patient is suffering from a recurrence of the excessive vomiting reported a few days ago, and is unable to keep anything on his stomach. The physicians have been compelled to suspend nourishment through the mouth.

AYOUB KHAN PROCLAIMS HIMSELF AMEER.

CALCUTTA, AUG. 21.

According to news from Afghanistan to-day, the advance of Ayoub Khan, whose forces are centred at Candahar, is being delayed owing to the want of money to enable him to carry on operations.

AUG. 22.

In spite of the impediments met by Ayoub in his advance north, owing to the want of arms and funds, he has to-day proclaimed himself Ameer, and intimates his determination to continue operations until he has acquired possession of Cabul and the whole country.

THE FRENCH ELECTIONS.

PARIS, AUG. 22.

The elections to the Chamber of Deputies commenced to-day. The Radical members were re-elected for the city. Gambetta was elected a member for the Twentieth Arrondissement by a narrow majority.

INTERCOLONIAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

At a meeting of the Cabinet, to-day, the order of the measures for next session was considered, and arrangements were made for special sittings at frequent intervals to prepare draft bills. The question of disposing of silt in the harbour was also considered, and it was decided that, instead of throwing it into deep water, it should, if possible, be utilised in reclaiming the low-lying lands round the city. The date of polling for the seats of Messrs. W. Madden and Burrowes, the new Ministers, was fixed for September 6, but no opposition is anticipated.

The Minister of Railways, and a number of members of Parliament, visited Sandhurst, Inglewood, and other railway towns to-day. They were feted at Inglewood, where the Minister made a speech announcing the determination of the Government to adhere to the motto of "peace, progress, and prosperity." Railways would be given wherever possible, and regardless of party considerations. Especial attention would be paid to water conservancy in the interest of farmers.

The Government intend to carry out Sir John Coode's scheme for the opening up of the Gippsland lakes.

The Minister of Railways is revising the railway tariff, and making important concessions to farmers and implement makers. Special facilities will also be offered for the carriage of milk and dairy produce. Refrigerating cars will be obtained to carry milk and meat to town and fruit and perishable goods to the country. A large grain depot will be erected at the Spencer-street station for the storage of grain at small charge to farmers.

A fatal fire occurred at Carlton early this morning, on the premises of John Gowling, wine merchant and grocer, corner of Rathdowne and Faraday streets. The premises were entirely destroyed, and a young man named William Blackburn, who was sleeping in a loft at the back of the shop, was roasted alive. The cause of the fire is quite inexplicable, but an inquest will be held to-morrow. The premises were insured in the Northern Company for £750, and in the Imperial, Queen, and Victoria for another £500—£1250 in all.

The demolition of the Melbourne Exhibition temporary buildings has been commenced, over 200 men being now at the work of dismantling.

The Government has requested the Exhibition Commissioners to close up their affairs as soon as possible, but they are not expected to do so before Christmas.

Mr. Holroyd was sworn in to-day as Supreme Court Judge. Mr. Skelton has been appointed his associate.

Special precautions are being taken by the Central Board of Health to provide for any outbreak of small-pox. A number of tents and a portable hospital are in process of construction, to be stationed in the city, besides a room for disinfecting the clothes of patients or suspected patients.

Telephonic communication has been established throughout the public offices, in which five distinct departments are carried on. A great saving of messengers' wages, and a corresponding gain of time to the public is thereby anticipated.

A deputation from the Chamber of Commerce, the Victorian Shipowners' Association, and kindred bodies, waited on the Commissioner of Customs to-day to request him to bring in a new measure for the establishment of a marine board, having very important functions. After explanation of the leading principles of the proposed bill, the Commissioner promised to recommend its adoption as a Government measure early in the session.

The Postmaster-General offers to make a reduction on the land telegraph lines in Victoria, and to contribute a subsidy of £800 to the Tasmanian cable expenses, in order to ensure a reduction of the present rates between the two colonies.

Highly satisfactory reports have been received concerning the results of attempts to acclimatise salmon and trout. At Geelong the ova are developing much better than usual this season.

At a meeting of the Victoria Racing Club this afternoon, it was decided to grant Mrs. Bagot, widow of the late secretary, a life annuity of £200 per annum, but Mr. Holroyd, Q.C., gave his opinion that a special Act of Parliament was necessary for the disposal of the club funds in that direction. The Government is to be asked to introduce the necessary measure.

A lad, employed as boots at a suburban hotel, last night stole a portmanteau containing 220 sovereigns from the bedroom of a lodger. He was arrested to-night, and the entire amount was recovered.

The executors of the late Neill Black have purchased from Mr. William M'Culloch the imported bull Berkly, Duke of Oxford, and the bull calf Red Rose IV., for 2500 guineas.

The R. M. S. Bokhara arrived early this morning, and promptly discharged her mails and cargo. She leaves for Sydney to-morrow afternoon.

The Orient (s.) took on board 263 bales of the first clip of the season's wool and a large quantity of frozen meat. She sails at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, MONDAY.

The case of Miles v. M'Ilwraith was commenced at the Supreme Court, this morning, and the plaintiff's case was nearly finished. An important point is now raised. The defence is that the contract in question terminated before the 6th of July, 1880, the first of the days on which the defendant was accused of improperly sitting and voting in the Assembly.

No. 2 North Lady Mary, Gympie, crushed 109 tons of quartz for 1154 oz. The Eastern Glanmires, having found splendid quartz, showing coarse gold, are driving south, and have decided to sink a straight shaft.

At the Supreme Court criminal sittings to-day there were no cases for trial. The Sheriff was presented with a pair of white gloves. The Judge remarked that it was evident there was a diminution of crime in this and other parts of the colony.

A private cablegram from London states that Mr. Hurley has completed the floating of the Burrum Company, with a capital of £150,000, £10,000 of which is reserved for Queensland. The scheme includes the purchase of the principal mines and the establishment of a shipping depot at Frazer's Island.

Michael Mullane, a labourer, has been arrested at Townsville on suspicion of murdering his wife by striking her with an iron bar while intoxicated, and fracturing her skull, on the 15th instant. She died this morning.

Another heavy shower fell at Brisbane this afternoon; rain also fell at Toowoomba, Warwick, and Dalby. Heavy rain fell at Maryborough to-night of an hour's duration. Over two inches fell at Stanthorpe last night.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, MONDAY.

The Adelaide and Suburban Tramway Company has declared a dividend for the half-year of 5s. on the old shares, and 6d. on the new shares, and carried £2000 to the reserve fund. The receipts were £17,847. During the half-year 1,574,493 passengers were carried, being an increase of 86,657 over the previous half.

A meeting of the Adelaide Fire Insurers' Association confirmed a resolution to wind up. This involves the disbandment of the fire brigades till other steps are taken, and Adelaide will be without protection in case of fire.

At a meeting of the members of eleven Christian denominations to-day, a committee was appointed for the purpose of taking steps to promote the systematic reading and teaching of the Bible in the Public schools during the regular school hours.

A successful artesian bore has been put down at Angas's Wirraelpa station, north of Blinman, striking a good supply of fresh water.

The City Corporation will offer strong opposition to the adoption of a recommendation of a Select Committee of the Legislative Council that power to purchase the city tramways should be conferred on the Government, and not the City Council.

At the meeting of the Corporation to-day the Mayor announced that a letter had been received from Sir Thomas Elder, conveying the intelligence that he was having built a rotunda for the use of a band for promenade public concerts as a gift to the Council. A vote of thanks was passed to the donor.

Nearly 12,000 trees have been planted out in the park lands this season.

Several statues and busts, by Marshall Wood, have been added to the Art Gallery of the Exhibition.

Rains have been general throughout the colony, and the farmers are jubilant. The weather was fine to-day.

COUNTRY NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

GRAFTON, MONDAY.

The Bishop of Grafton and Armidale held an ordination service at Ulmarra yesterday, when two ministers were ordained. The same day two new churches were opened at Tyndale and Coldstream.

CENTRAL KEMPSEY, MONDAY.

Fire was discovered at 2 o'clock on Sunday morning proceeding from the gable of Mr. Cummings' (baker) oven, on premises leased from Mr. W. T. Dangar. The whole building speedily became a mass of flames, which, but for the active exertions of the neighbours, must have destroyed the back premises of the Australian Joint Stock Bank, and Mr. Dangar's main buildings must have followed. There was fortunately an abundant supply of water, and the covering of the adjoining buildings with blankets confined the damage to the bakehouse, which, with all its contents (which were not insured), were completely destroyed. Incendiarism is suspected, as there was no fire on the premises during previous 14 hours. Mr. Dangar's loss is about £80, and Mr. Cummings', £20.

FORBES, MONDAY.

A man named James Arnott, a tutor in the family of Mr. B. Macnamara, near Condobolin, while coming by the Forbes Cobb's coach on Saturday, fell out and broke his neck. He was not missed till the coach had reached Forbes. The body was found by the return coach on Sunday.

BOURKE, MONDAY.

Mr. M'Alister, manager of the Australian Joint Stock Bank here, is now at Cobar, opening a branch bank. Arrangements will shortly be made for the running of a regular mail between Bourke and Wanaaring, via Ford's Bridge and Malpas. The track will be a direct road towards Mount Browne.

WAGGA, MONDAY.

A public meeting was held this evening, Mr. Fitzhardinge, mayor, being in the chair, for the purpose of appointing a deputation to proceed to Sydney to interview the Minister for Works, asking that a railway should be established between here and Tumberumba. A deputation was formed.

ALBURY, MONDAY.

The body of a man, between 50 and 60 years of age, has been found in the Murray by a water carter. The body was well dressed and has not yet been identified. It had apparently been in the water for 10 days. The body of the deceased showed a bruise on the forehead, which, according to medical evidence, was inflicted before death; but there was not sufficient cause to show how death occurred. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of found drowned.

COROWA, MONDAY.

At an important meeting held here to-day—Mr. P. Sandrall, J.P., presiding—resolutions were passed condemning the reckless alienation of land by auction sales, and requesting the Minister for Lands to withdraw all Crown lands in this district from sale by auction. These resolutions will be embodied in the form of a petition. The members for the district were requested to move the adoption of a clause in the Ringbarking Bill, giving the Minister power to refuse permission to ringbark unless the price for the work be specified, such cost not to exceed 15d. per acre. Mr. Levin, member for the Hume, who was present, took exception to the statements made regarding the inactivity of himself and fellow-members, and stated that, in conjunction with Messrs. Day and Lyne, he had been constantly urging the Ministers to withdraw land from auction. The Minister had, however, been so frequently deceived by both parties that he viewed every approach of the kind with suspicion. When the petition now agreed to was presented, and good cause shown for the withdrawal, he was confident the Minister for Lands would do justice. Mr. Levin made a long speech on the subject, and was loudly cheered. The meeting was enthusiastic.

WENTWORTH, MONDAY.

Three hundred bales, the first consignment of the Tapio and Avoca wool, were dispatched for South Australia on Saturday. Through the execrable state of the Darling Road, the police magistrate was twice thrown out of his buggy on the journey to Pooncarie, an accident to which has succeeded measles, temporarily incapacitating him from his duties.

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THE WEATHER.

A good rainfall is, perhaps, the best purifier and disinfectant a city can get, and this Sydney, together with well nigh every other part of the colony, got yesterday. The atmosphere was purified, the dust of the streets swept away, and the drains and great sewers cleansed by the storm-waters. The rainfall, though not continuous, was plentiful, diffusing its beneficial effects everywhere. This timely downfall will do far more to counteract the mismanaged malady in our midst, and the mud and muddle of the Government and Corporation, than any methods they could themselves discover and employ.

The change occurred during Sunday night, or, rather, early on Monday morning. The wind set in from south soon after midnight on Sunday, bringing up light clouds. A light rain commenced to fall about 2 o'clock, but was not of long duration; and with the exception of a very light shower or two, yesterday morning was fine. After noon the clouds gathered more thickly, and between 1 and 2 o'clock rain set in pretty heavily. The wind increased in violence, and freshened into a strong gale, which seems to have extended all along the coast. All night the wind was very boisterous, and rain came up in occasional squalls. The quantity of rain that fell, according to the gauges at the Observatory, up to 9 p.m. was 1·50 inches, which may be said to have all fallen within twelve hours, for up to 9 a.m. the quantity that had fallen measured only ·016.

The telegraphic reports from the country districts yesterday afternoon and evening showed that it was cloudy and raining throughout the colony. Along the coast the sea was reported as rising, the wind increasing from S.E., and the barometers falling. The state of the weather in the country will be seen by our telegrams below.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own Correspondents.)

NEWCASTLE, Monday.

A south-east gale is blowing, with a heavy sea rising and thick dirty weather. Heavy rain has been falling all day. It is unlikely that any steamer will leave for Sydney to-night.

VEGETABLE CREEK, Monday.

Several days' close cloudy weather was terminated by a thunderstorm last night with rain, which has every appearance of continuing.

LISMORE, Monday.

A smart thunderstorm took place this afternoon, lasting one hour. Three quarters of an inch of rain fell. It is still cloudy.

GRAFTON, Monday.

Splendid rain fell to-day, commencing early this morning. A total of 1 inch 17 points has fallen. The rain appears to have been general throughout the district.

INVERELL, Monday.

Rain commenced at 11 o'clock last night, and continued till 2 o'clock to-day. The total fall was 1 inch 13 points.

DUBBO, Monday.

It commenced raining at 8 o'clock last night, and is still continuing. About 80 points have fallen so far. The rain is general, and all danger of a drought is obviated.

BOURKE, Monday.

The weather has turned cold and showery all round. It looks very heavy in the south-east.

COONAMBLE, Monday.

Sixty-six points of rain fell last night.

TAMWORTH, Monday.

A splendid rain has been falling all day since between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning, being the grandest rain for the past 12 months. It is still raining slightly, and more is threatening.

QUIRINDI, Monday.

It has been raining heavily since 4 o'clock this morning. Quite two inches have fallen, and the rain is still continuing. The creeks are rising. Wind, south-south-east.

CENTRAL KEMPSEY, Monday.

Light showers fell to-day.

SINGLETON, Monday.

Rain commenced at 6 o'clock this morning, and continued the whole day without ceasing. An inch and a half has fallen. It will do a considerable amount of good in this district.

SCONE, Monday.

The drought has broken up. On Thursday last forty points of rain fell, since then the weather has been fine up to last evening. Rain commenced at about 4 o'clock this morning with a thunderstorm from the north-west. The wind changed to the south-east, and there has been a steady downpour all day. Up to this 2 inches have fallen, with every appearance of a continuance.

WEST MAITLAND, Monday.

Heavy rain has fallen continuously since daybreak this morning.

SOUTH CREEK, Monday.

Splendid rain set in this morning, which is much wanted. There is every appearance of continuance.

LITHGOW, Monday.

Rain commenced yesterday afternoon with a series of showers. About midnight it set in steadily, and has continued eighteen hours. The direction of the wind is from the south-east.

MUDGEE, Monday.

It has rained steadily all day.

BATHURST, Monday.

Rain fell nearly all night, and there were several showers to-day, with prospects of a further downpour.

CARCOAR, Monday.

Steady rain has been falling all day since last night, and there is every appearance of its continuing.

COWRA, Monday.

It has been raining steadily since last night, with the prospect of a continuance.

FORBES, Monday.

Rain commenced to fall last night, and continued without intermission for eighteen hours. The total fall has been ·51 points, and it still looks very unsettled. The drought appears to have thoroughly broken up.

PARKES, Monday.

A splendid rain fell throughout last night and this morning, and the weather is still threatening for rain.

GOULBURN, Monday.

The weather is cold, with occasional showers.

WOLLONGONG, Monday.

The weather this morning underwent a change. Light rain set in, and it was showery all day, with a strong southerly wind and heavy sea, and every indication of an easterly gale. There are strong indications of a downpour.

MORUYA, Monday.

Fine rain fell to-day, and is likely to continue. It is badly wanted.

TAREE, Monday.

It has been raining heavily during the day. The rain was very much wanted. There is every appearance of a continuance.

COBARGO, Monday.

A change has taken place in the weather, and it has been raining the greater part of the day. A strong southerly wind is blowing.

TEMORA, Monday.

Heavy rains commenced on Saturday night. It held up for a time, but the weather was threatening yesterday, and during the night rain came down at intervals in a heavy downpour, continuing very heavy throughout to-day. Quite an inch and a half fell, and the dams are filling fast, while some are overflowing. It is still threatening. The diggers are everywhere working and making preparation for a general wash-up.

WENTWORTH, Monday.

Over half-an-inch of rain fell yesterday.

WAGGA, Monday.

80 points of rain fell last night, and 5 this evening.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our own Correspondents.)

GRAFTON, Monday.

The Warden of the new mining district of the Clarence, Mr. A. L. M'Dougall, returned on Saturday after a visit to the Nana Creek and Woogoolga Reefs. He reports that there are about one hundred men on the ground. There is only one claim in dispute. Mr. Surveyor Fisher came in also on Saturday, direct from Nana Creek, bringing splendid specimens raised at the prospectors' claim, Lady Matilda. They are richer than any previously taken out. Five reefs have been discovered there, all bearing gold. The richness of the prospectors' claim, Lady Matilda, is stimulating all the claim-holders. Reports say there are now over twenty working.

QUIRINDI, Monday.

A small nugget of pure gold free from quartz was shown to the manager of the Commercial Bank here, which was found 126 feet down. The place where the gold was found is only six miles from town.

CARCOAR, Monday.

Patterson and party started this morning crushing 16 tons of quartz from their claim, Eight Men's Lease, at the Belmore battery. William Graham and party, to-day, applied for a 5-acre lease on ground adjoining Ferguson and party's ground. Beauchamp and party struck payable gold in their lease, south of Hyde's lease, on the east of Crichton and Co.'s. They intend erecting their crushing plant on the Lachlan River, two miles and a half from the reefs.

GOULBURN, Monday.

Reports from the diggings near Marulan show that a good deal of work has been done at the prospectors' claim. Murphy and party, higher up the creek, got out a few loads of dirt, which were not encouraging. The gold is chiefly water-worn. The average of the prospect varies from nine to fifteen colours to the dish. There are good reports from the coal mines of the same district.

TEMORA, Monday.

From a visit of inspection of the water in the dams it is estimated there is sufficient at present to wash 20,000 loads.

ALBURY, Monday.

A trial crushing from Osborne and Morton's reef, on the Mayday Line, Black Range, yielded 22 ounces of gold from 8 tons.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

THE TURF.

The general settling over the late Parramatta meeting was held at Tattersall's last evening, when, owing to the weather, the attendance was very meagre. Very little speculation took place upon coming events, and Trump Yoss and Wellington were about equal favourites for the Hawkesbury Grand Handicap at 100s to 16, and 100s to 8 were offered about Waxy, Major, Creswick, and Brian Boru, and the prices of the others ruled from 100s to 7 to 100s to 3. Contrary to expectation it is now pretty generally understood that Monmouth will be asked to carry silk for the Hawkesbury Guineas, and he is likely to be well supported for that event. Robbie Burns, Chuckster, and Waterloo have been scratched for the Great Metropolitan Stakes; and we are informed that Soothsayer, Zambesi, and Respite will leave Melbourne for Sydney on Thursday next. The following weights were declared yesterday in connection with the Hawkesbury Spring Meeting:—

THE HURDLE RACE.—2 miles.

	st	lb		st	lb
P. G.	11	7	Jupiter	9	5
Radical	11	4	Saleguard	9	0
Albyn	11	2	Sportsman	8	10
Wrangler	10	0	Sunbeam	8	7

THE COUNTY PURSE.—1¼-mile.

	st	lb		st	lb
Lord Burghley	9	0	Beatrice	6	12
Hesperian	8	10	Brilliant	6	12
Master Avenel	8	7	Sang Froid	6	10
Elastic	8	4	Jewess	6	10
Creswick	8	2	Velox	6	7
Dundreary	8	0	Retrospect	6	7
Braidwood	8	0	Sweet William, by Yatten-		
Motes	7	12	don—Lady Booton	6	5
Gipsy Cooper	7	12	Stella	6	5
Sapphire	7	10	Lottus	6	3
Major	7	10	Mavourneen	6	3
Brian Boru	7	8	Cadmus	6	0
Zulu	7	8	Boniface	6	0
Milbrodale	7	8	Valentine	5	10
Guinea	7	6	Coolamidgin	5	10
Orient	7	6	Aschhavar	5	7
Warhawk	7	6	Testator	5	7
Saunterer	7	4	Lady Stratum	5	7
Jester	7	2	The Knave	5	7

The Hawkesbury Race gates were sold by auction yesterday, and realized £242, being much higher than for the last August meeting. Sixty-five horses worked yesterday morning on the Hawkesbury and Clarendon training grounds.

FOOTBALL.

The hon. secretary of the Southern Rugby Football Union informs us that ten new clubs have joined the Union during the present season—Burrowa, Burrangong, Collingwood, Eton, Globe, Oriental, Our Boys (Bathurst), Rugby, Singleton, and Windsor, making a total of 37 active clubs. Last season five clubs fell through—Kempsey, New School, Queanbeyan, Toxteth, and Waratah. The season will close leaving the Union in a satisfactory position. There are a considerable number of clubs throughout the colony playing under Rugby Union Rules who do not at present subscribe to the Union, but promise to join next year. Several Intercolonial matches will probably take place next season. A team picked from the New Zealand Union (Otago and Wellington), was expected to visit Sydney last month, but arrangements could not be completed in time, and the trip has been postponed until next year.

Wanderers v. Arcadians.—These English Association clubs played a return match on Saturday, August 20, on Moore Park. The Wanderers were very badly represented, only five of the club putting in an appearance, the eleven being completed by boys of Carcen College. The Arcadians played stronger than before, and certainly are to be congratulated on the great improvement in their play, particularly in passing. Wanderers kicked off against the wind, and the ball being immediately returned, the Arcadians caught their opponents napping, passing the half-backs, and then finding the Wanderers' back was engaged elsewhere, had no difficulty in scoring within the first minute. After this the game was very evenly contested, though the Wanderers, before half-time, gained two corner kicks, from which nothing resulted, and Raymond made a good shot, which just failed to score. At last, however, out of a general melee in front of goal, the ball was forced under the tape, and the game was even. After half-time, with the wind, the Wanderers had the best of the game, but the Arcadians, especially the backs, played well, and beyond several corner kicks to the Wanderers, and the ball being sent repeatedly behind, nothing further resulted, the match ending in a tie.

1st Glenhead v. 1st Redfern.—These teams met for the second time this season on Moore Park on Saturday last, which resulted after a well-contested game in another win for the former by 2 tries to 1. Baylis and Mulcahy were the respective captains, and the touch-downs were obtained for the winners by Hill 1, Tooher 1, and a disputed one by Cansdell. Phillips obtained the only touch for his side. Messrs. Baylis, Tooher, and Hill played well for the "red and blacks," as did also Messrs. Mulcahy, Walker, and Phillips for the Redferns.

Our Bathurst correspondent telegraphs that a football match took place on Saturday between Newington College and Bathurst. There was a poor attendance, but an excellent game was played, though the result showed that Newington had no chance with the local team. The score at the finish was—Bathurst, two goals and a try to nil. Up to the present match the Newingtons had won eight matches out of nine during the present season, and as they played on this occasion with several ex-students and a master, the local victory caused some excitement amongst lovers of the game.

RIFLE MATCH.

On Saturday afternoon the 2nd Regiment Rifle Club and the Volunteer Artillery Rifle Club shot a friendly match on the rifle range, Paddington. Conditions: Seven shots each at 500 and 600 yards; ten men on each side. Below are the scores:—

2nd Regiment R. C. Team.

	500.	600.	Total.
Private W. West	25	30	55
Lieutenant D. Fraser	28	25	53
Corporal Shaw	26	26	52
Caines	28	24	52
Lieutenant Stack	26	24	50
Private Robinson	25	25	50
R. Todd	31	19	50
L. West	24	21	45
Sergeant A. S. Bord	24	19	43
Private A. Toby	22	14	36
	250	237	486

Volunteer Artillery R. C. Team.

	500.	600.	Total.
Corporal J. Cooper	31	29	60
R. Greaves	29	28	57
Sergeant W. Gold-brough	25	24	49
Gunner W. Corbitt	24	24	48
Sergeant J. Keiley	23	20	43
Gunner C. Renouf	24	19	43
W. Cooper	19	22	41
Corporal H. Hund	22	18	40
Sergeant F. B. Graves	16	14	30
Lieutenant L. Kyngdon	5	13	18
	218	211	429

Majority for 2nd Regiment, 57 points.

Captain J. C. Remington kindly gave a prize of £2 for the highest scorer, which was won by Corporal J. Cooper with the score of 60 points.

BILLIARDS IN VICTORIA.

A match was played on August 18, at Tattersall's, 1000 up, for £100 aside, between Byrne, the reputed champion of the colony, and Weiss, a youth from Queensland, who has already won several matches in Melbourne. At starting Byrne was the favourite at odds of 6 to 4 on him, and he soon established a lead, being 34 to his opponent's 7. The latter by good play made up his lost ground, and the game was 44 to 47, but Byrne, by small breaks, again got away, and led into the first hundred. He continued to force the game, and was 304 to Weiss's 168. By some good play on Weiss's part, which included breaks of 29, 32, and a capital one of 62, the game was made 319, 320. He then led for some time, and finishing up with a capital break of 55, which included two beautiful cannons, the game was called 423 to 373. Byrne answered with 29, 35 and 14, each containing some capital strokes; but Weiss led into the sixth hundred, the game being 605 to 599. The break of the evening was then made, as Byrne, after getting a few losing hazards, got on to the spot stroke, which he made 22 times, and scored 86, the game being Byrne 686, Weiss 620. Shortly after Byrne put 35 together, and the game stood 727 to 665. By small breaks on the part of each the score was advanced, and it was called—Byrne 835, Weiss 733. The latter pulled up considerably in the next hundred, and at Byrne's 900 he was 868. Still improving his position, Weiss had reached 931 when Byrne was 947. Both played very cautiously, Weiss with slightly the worse luck, till the game stood—Byrne 979, Weiss 960. The former then got possession of the ball and ran the game out, therefore beating his opponent by 40 points, after a very well contested game. There was a very large attendance, and the proceedings were conducted in the most orderly manner. A subscription was made for Weiss at the close of the game, and a good sum was collected.—*Leader*, August 20.

BOROUGH COUNCIL.

Randwick.—Meeting on 9th instant. Present—The Mayor, and Aldermen Bradley, Moore, Magill, Denning, Kidman, and Kiss. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. Correspondence read: To Mr. F. Fewings agreeing to form Arden-street, provided he in conjunction with holders of property in that neighbourhood subscribe one-half the cost. To the Minister for Mines, applying for the sum of £50 to repair the public pound. To the Church and School Lands Department, applying for a license to quarry on the Church and School Estate in this Borough. To J. P. M'Guanne, informing him of cost of forming Cowper-street. From C. B. Brownriff, enclosing licenses to quarry on Church and School lands. From J. P. M'Guanne, desiring the Council to urge the Government to assist in forming Cowper-street, in consideration of the large frontage held by them in that street. The Council agreed to communicate with the Minister for Works relative to the matter. From the Lands Department, granting permission to erect a Council-chambers on lot 4 of section 10, Randwick. From the Mines Department, stating that £20 is the maximum amount granted for repairs to each public pound. The Council-clerk was instructed to apply for that amount. From Mr. J. Parkinson, complaining of condition of High-street. The overseer was instructed to effect necessary repairs. From Messrs. Daintrey and Jones, informing Council that a deed of grant was now being prepared in the Lands Office for the Randwick recreation reserve. From the Gas Company, stating that the price of gas supplied by meter would be reduced to 8s, per 1000 feet, and the price of public lamps to £8 each per annum, on and after the 1st October next, provided the Council increase the number of lamps on the present line of main. The Council then moved into Committee of Finance. Accounts were passed amounting to £84, and ordered to be paid. In works, several minor repairs were reported as necessary and ordered to be done. The desirability of urging the Government to continue the line of tramway to Coogee was considered, and it was arranged that a meeting should be held at Coogee, having this object in view. The Council-clerk was instructed to apply to the Minister for Lands requesting that the reserve for gravel in Avoca and Cowper streets be now set apart for public purposes. A committee consisting of the whole Council was appointed to supervise the erection of the new town hall.—W. Bethune, Council-clerk.

AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL.

Though the weather last night was so very bad "Olivette," at the Theatre Royal, was witnessed by a large audience. Some of the principals seemed to suffer from colds, but the acting throughout was amusing and the choruses went with spirit.

GAIETY THEATRE.

"Lucia di Lammermoor" was repeated at the Gaiety Theatre last night, and, as on each previous occasion when it has been produced, it was received very warmly. Miss Annis Montague, in particular, was in each of her solos successful in winning the approbation of the audience, and at the close of the famous mad scene was recalled again and again. Mr. Turner and Mr. Farley also sang well, and the choruses were good. The opera will be repeated to-night.

QUEEN'S THEATRE.

Considering the uninviting state of the weather, the attendance at the Queen's Theatre last night was fair, and Mr. Dewhurst's impersonation of Hamlet was received with a large amount of favour. He was in better voice than on Saturday evening, and though in the emotional scenes his powers appeared to be overtaxed, he delivered the soliloquies with quiet, natural, and therefore telling effect. Mr. Dewhurst was well supported by Miss Marian Willis, who gave an intelligent and careful interpretation of the much-wronged Ophelia; and Miss Melville played the Queen with much force, and at the end of the third act was, in conjunction with Mr. Dewhurst, called before the curtain. "Hamlet" will be repeated to-night, and on Wednesday "Richelieu" will be produced.

QUADRILLE MUSICIANS' SOCIETY.

An inaugural ball was given in the Masonic Hall last night by the Quadrille Musicians' Society, a corps of artists recently organized with the view of providing first-class music at balls, parties, and other entertainments. The members are local men, and their object—if they will, unlike other bands that have been formed here, adhere together—is likely to be realized, for each possesses talent on a brass, a string, or a reed instrument, and all play excellently together. Twenty were present at the ball, and, led by Messrs. W. Radcliff and F. Hwalstrun, played not only the favourite dance pieces of the day, but dreamy waltzes and spirited mazourkas of their leader's composition. About eighty couples, several of whom were in fancy dresses, danced to their strains, and evidently thoroughly enjoyed themselves. If the weather had not been so wet no doubt the attendance would have been very much larger. The programme was well filled, and it was arranged that a dance should be commenced every quarter of an hour, so that dancers knew to a minute when they might start. Messrs. Ingham and Hwalstrun, respectively the secretary and treasurer of the society, directed the proceedings, and the refreshments were provided by Mr. Callaghan, of the Haymarket.

We learn by telegram from our Melbourne correspondent that Mr. Dampier, the actor, and his daughters, left for Sydney by the Lusitania (s.) to-day. Mr. D. H. Harkins, an American tragedian, also arrived by the Lusitania (s), and will appear at the Royal after "The World," which still draws splendid houses.

Our Adelaide correspondent telegraphed last night as follows: "Wilhelmj gave his first concert to-night, to a large audience, at the Town Hall. He was enthusiastically received, and was encored every time he appeared. After the concert a procession of German residents, joined by the Liedertafel and Austrian Band, marched to Wilhelmj's hotel with torches and lanterns, and gave him a welcoming serenade."

THE STORY OF OUR PLANET.

The first of a series of lectures on the geological history of the earth, as revealed by the rocks, was given last night at the School of Arts, by Professor William Denton, of Boston, Massachusetts. Professor Denton arrived from the United States some two months ago, and has just completed a course of lectures similar to the present series in Melbourne, where he met with much success. The heavy rainfall last night, although of great benefit to the country generally, doubtless had the effect of keeping away a large number of those who would otherwise have been present; but notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, the hall was well filled at the time appointed for the commencement of the lecture, the audience being a select and appreciative one. Professor Denton began by saying that the story of the earth rushing through space at the rate of 68,000 miles an hour with its fourteen hundred millions of human beings could not be anything but interesting to those who dwelt upon its surface. Compared with the known universe it was less than an invisible atom, but it was much more to mankind. The giant mountains rearing their high heads to heaven, the deep canons cut by rushing rivers where twilight held continual holiday, the lakes that lay in the mountains' arms so peacefully that the trees upon the summits of their banks mirrored themselves in their quiet waters, and the mighty ocean with all its calms and storms, formed a picture of no little interest. Nor were the organic existences of the planet less wonderful or less interesting; there were gigantic trees, such as they had in Australia, towering 400 or 500 feet above the mosses and the ferns that nestled at their feet; giant whales floating in the ocean like islands; animalcules exploring a drop, and finding that drop to be a world that it would take their little lifetime fully to examine; man, upright-standing, forward looking, the fruit of the ages, the brain of the world, inquiring when were these mountains heaved, and what heaved them; when were these canons cut, and what cut them; how came into existence these varied organic beings that live on this planet? But this was not all that we observed. When the interior of the world was laid bare to our inspection we saw beds of sand and gravel and clay and marl; and below them beds of sandstone, coal, shale, limestone, and granite. Some of these we found were deposited by water while others showed evident traces of a fiery origin. He then pointed out the difference between the two classes of rocks showing how each was to be recognised, and stating that the locality round Sydney gave examples of both; the sandstone gravel beds and shales representing the waterlaid rocks, granitic and quartzose reefs pointing clearly to their igneous origin. He showed the advantages of geological knowledge to the farmer as well as to mankind in general, pointing out that as nature's history was more clearly and more fully written in the earth itself than elsewhere, so by a proper study of this science we should be enabled to learn more of the future of the planet than by any other means. He then proceeded to detail the various arguments which were adduced by geologists to prove the fiery fluid nature of the interior of the earth, such as the increasing heat as we descended, the hot springs to be found in so many parts of the earth, the 225 active and countless extinct volcanoes scattered over its whole surface. In this part of his lecture Professor Denton gave a graphic word-painting of the destruction of Herculaneum and Pompeii in the year 79 by the eruption of Vesuvius, and subsequently described their appearance at the present day, after their entombment for nearly 1800 years. Etna, Hecla, Kilanea, and Muna Loa in the Sandwich Islands, were also briefly described, together with notable eruptions that had taken place therein, and then the lecturer pointed out how earthquakes also proved that the interior of our globe must be a fiery ocean, remarking that if the earth were solid he could not see how it could be caused to shiver and shake. The earthquakes of the Mississippi Valley, of Lisbon, and up South America were referred to, and an eloquent peroration concluded a most interesting lecture. A number of views were then shown by the aid of the oxy-hydrogen light illustrative of the lecture, amongst the most interesting of which were a number of photographs of Pompeii. These were frequently greeted with manifestations of appreciation by the audience.

PARLIAMENTARY NOTICES.

Legislative Assembly.—Tuesday, August 23.

The business-paper of the Legislative Assembly for to-day (Tuesday) commences with 12 questions, after which there are 11 notices of motion and three orders of the day. The first motion stands in the name of Mr. Copeland, as follows:—"1. Having in view the large attendance of Sunday visitors at the Museum and Public Library, this House is of opinion that it is desirable to open the Gallery of Arts at the Botanical Gardens from 2 to 5 p.m. on Sundays in future. 2. That the foregoing resolution be communicated by address to his Excellency the Governor." The next notice is by Mr. M'Culloch,—"That it is the opinion of this House that the rapid extension of the city of Sydney demands the immediate resumption of the unimproved portions of the Woollahra and Waterloo estates, in order that a scientific and sanitary subdivision thereof may be available for the public." Next follows Mr. Slattery's motion for increasing the salaries of the Supreme Court Judges. Mr. M'Elhone has the next notice for papers in connection with the recent case of gastrotomy at the Benevolent Asylum. Motion No. 5 is by Mr. O'Connor, for a return showing particulars of land selected, or purchased by, or transferred to, members of the present Government since the beginning of 1879. Mr. O'Connor has the next notice, for a return of documents and evidence in the case of Mr. Menser, who was fined at Parramatta for gambling. The motion of Mr. Myers comes next, to the effect that the Government should incorporate practical agriculture in their promised measure for technical education. Mr. Proctor has the next notice, for a return of the works carried out by the present Colonial Architect, and their cost. The next motion is by Mr. Copeland, as follows:—1. "That this House is of opinion that the system of imprisoning healthy persons in houses supposed to be infected with small-pox, under an alleged system of quarantine, is tyrannical and cruel, and an infringement of the liberties of the subject. 2. That the above resolution be communicated by address to his Excellency the Governor." Mr. Roseby has the next notice,—"1. That a select committee be appointed, with power to send for persons and papers, to inquire into and report upon the management of the Public school in Crown-street, Sydney, and the differences between the head-master and headmistress of that school. 2. That such committee consist of Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Farnell, Dr. Renwick, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Fremlin, Mr. William Forster, Mr. Abigail, Mr. Hezlet, Mr. Poole, and the mover." The last notice has been given by Mr. W. Forster, who is to move,—"That there be laid upon the table of this House copies of the original proposal or application, through the Agent-General in London, by General Fielding and Mr. J. L. Montefiore, a short time previous to the execution of the contract with the Eastern Extension Telegraphic Company, to be permitted to undertake the construction of a new line of telegraphic communication between London and Australia by way of Singapore and the Eastern Seas and Northern Australia, and of all minutes, documents, and correspondence having reference thereto." The orders of the day are: The resumption of the debate on Mr. Abigail's motion for a select committee to inquire into the working of friendly societies, the third reading of the Vale of Clwydd Company's Bill, and the consideration in committee of the whole of Mr. W. J. Watson's motion in reference to diamond drills.

The *Athenæum* says the sale of the Sunderland library has been definitely fixed for December. It was formed by the third Earl of Sunderland during the reigns of Queen Anne and George I., and consists of some 30,000 volumes.

THE NEW GASWORKS AT FIVE DOCK FOR ASHFIELD AND BURWOOD.

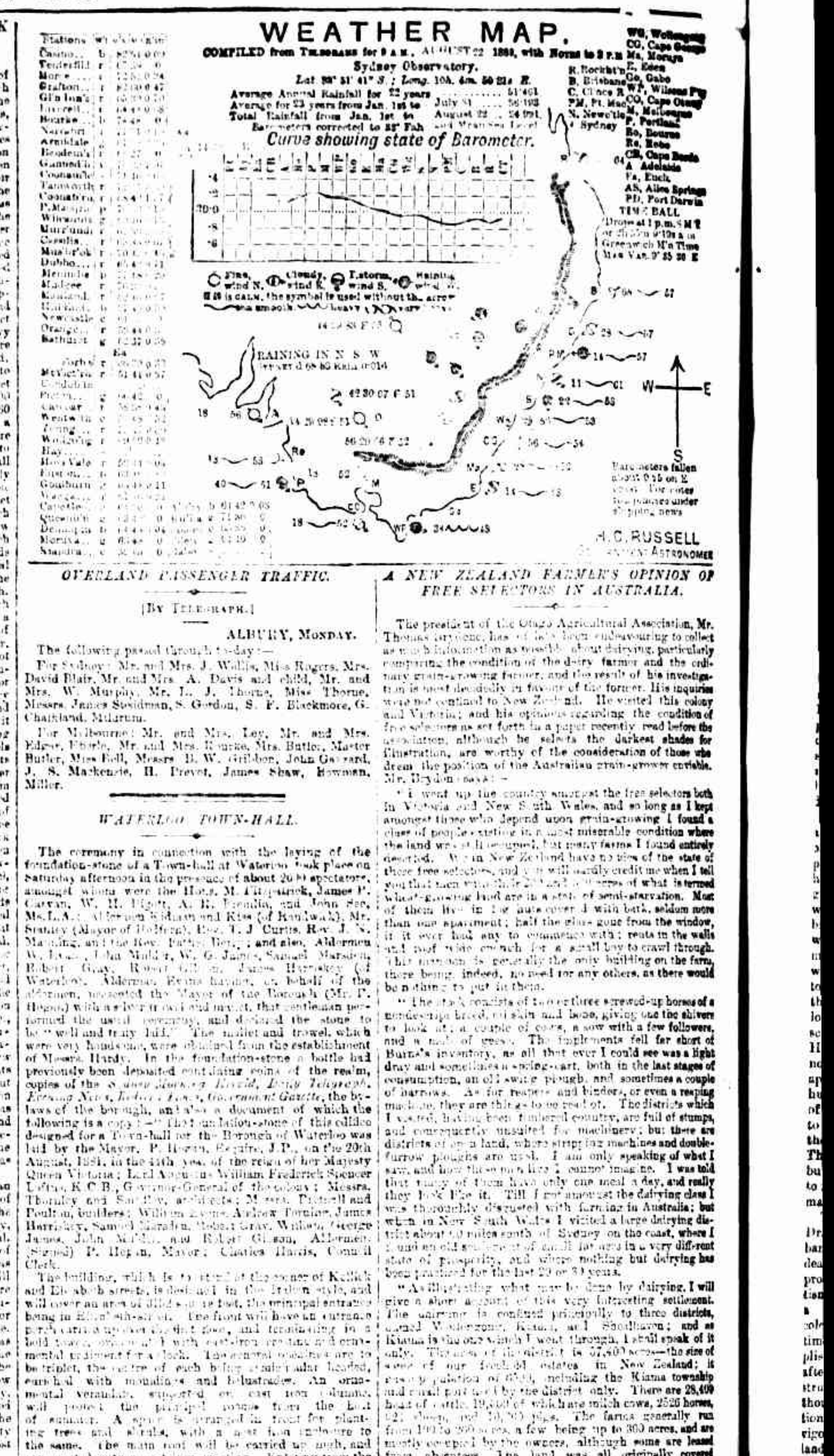
Consequent upon the rapidly-increasing population of Ashfield and Burwood, the large number of houses which are being built in all directions, and the necessity for the proper lighting of public thoroughfares in those boroughs, the directors of the Australian Gaslight Company determined a little more than a year ago upon meeting the wishes of the residents by supplying them with gas. Partly on account of the enormous expense which would have been incurred by carrying on the mains from Petersham (their present termination) to Ashfield, and partly because of the great distance from the chief works in Kent-street, it was decided to erect a new and independent station in the locality. For this purpose a plot of land, somewhat over five acres in extent, at Five Dock, having a water frontage of about 150 feet to the Parramatta River, was purchased by the directors, and, the land having been fenced and partially cleared, work was commenced forthwith. The excavation for the tank for the reception of the gasholder was first undertaken, and necessitated the removal of solid rock to a depth of 20 feet and a diameter of 52 feet. Notwithstanding the heavy nature of the work, everything was in readiness long before the material for the holder arrived from England; indeed, in consequence of the delay in shipment, operations had to be suspended for about three months. The holder is 50 feet in diameter and 20 feet deep, and has a capacity of 40,000 cubic feet. The retort house, which faces the river, is 60 feet long by 30 feet wide, the brickwork being of a massive description; the two benches of retorts which are intended to be used for the present are sufficient to produce 55,000 cubic feet of gas daily, but when all the retorts which will eventually be built are fully employed they will be capable of producing 150,000 cubic feet per day. In this building also is a steam jet exhauster for relieving the retorts from pressure, which is worked by a six-horse power boiler. A few yards from the retort house are two purifiers, each 10 feet square, with iron travellers above for lifting the lids when the purifiers require cleaning. There is one horizontal condenser, consisting of four rows of 9-inch pipes; and the scrubber is 4 feet 6 inches in diameter and 20 feet high. The supply of gas to the district is regulated by a 12-inch governor, fitted up in a separate house, in which also is a station meter, capable of passing 3500 cubic feet of gas per hour. There are two tanks for collecting water, but, owing to the absence of rain—salt water not being suitable—it has had to be pumped by steam-power from a well some distance from the works for the purpose of filling the tank for the gasholder. A very substantial embankment has been made along the land fronting the river, but the water here is so shallow that it was found necessary to construct a jetty 390 feet long by 14 feet wide, for the purpose of enabling vessels to discharge coal and to receive the residual products of the works. The jetty is 13 feet above high-water mark, at which, at its head, there is a depth of from ten to eleven feet of water. It is being constructed by Mr. Wright, of Adelaide, and is apparently of very great strength and durability; it will probably be finished in about a fortnight. All the ironwork for the gasholder, purifiers, scrubber, &c., has been supplied by Messrs. Dempster and Sons, of Yorkshire, England. The main pipes, which are 12, 9, 6, and 3 inches in diameter, varying according to the estimated requirements of the neighbourhoods through which they run, are laid for a total distance of 20 miles, the chief mains being in the Great Northern Road, Parramatta Road, and Liverpool Road, whence the small pipes branch in various directions. These pipes, which were supplied by Messrs. D. and Y. Stewart, of Glasgow, are laid two feet under ground, and have been ready for use some considerable time. The entire work, including the various buildings, the erection of the gasholder, retort house, laying mains, &c., &c., was designed and carried out under the personal supervision of Mr. T. J. Bush, the engineer to the Australian Gasworks Company. Taken as a whole, this new station is probably one of the most complete of its kind in the colony, being not only admirably designed, but fitted up with all the latest improvements for gas production that could be obtained from England. The work, too, has been carried out in the most substantial manner, and nothing that can add to the efficient and economical management of business seems to have been lost sight of. The total cost of the works, including the laying of mains, has been somewhere about £23,000.

It is, of course, impossible to give anything like an accurate statement of what will be the consumption of gas; but it is estimated that for the first few weeks the output will be from 20,000 to 25,000 cubic feet per day, which represents a consumption of about two tons of coal. It is, however, anticipated that as soon as the residents of Ashfield and Burwood realize the fact that gas has actually been brought to their doors, they will lose no time in availing themselves of the benefit. There can be no doubt that the consumption of gas will increase almost daily, but every provision has been made for any demand that is likely to arise for some years to come. To-day the final step will be taken towards supplying gas to the neighbourhood—namely, blowing out the air in the apparatus—which, it need scarcely be said, is done by the introduction of gas, which displaces the air. To-morrow the mains will undergo a similar operation, and, probably, before dusk sets in, those residents of Ashfield and Burwood who have already made provision for its use will for the first time—so far, at least, as their residence in the locality is concerned—be able to avail themselves of one of the most useful scientific adaptations of modern times—gas.

In regard to the price to be paid for gas, it was estimated, from the number of applications made to the company, that 10s. per 1000 cubic feet and £10 per annum for each public light would be charged—a price similar to that formerly paid at Balmain and Randwick; but it was afterwards found, when the works were nearly completed, that, in consequence of the large number of houses which had sprung up since the commencement of laying down the plant, gas could be supplied at 9s. and £9 respectively, being a reduction of 10 per cent. on the original estimate.

THE BOURKE-STREET SCHOOL.

The remarks which Mr. Inspector Seymour has made regarding the sanitary condition of the Bourke-street school are justified in every way. Nothing that could be said or written in condemnation of that condition could be regarded as uncalled for or unnecessarily severe, for in point of unhealthiness it could not be surpassed. The building is situated in one of the lowest lying parts of Woolloomooloo, is built of brick, is a single storey in height, and was at one time used for the purposes of public worship. It is now used as a mixed school, and although there appears to be ample space for the classes that attend, there is a lack of cheerfulness about it, and it is badly lighted and apparently insufficiently ventilated. The children were removed to the place from Dowling-street on the 7th of May, 1880. They appeared to be of the poorer classes, studious and attentive, but not so robust as many that are seen in other schools. The cause of their being pale is of course difficult to determine, but it is manifest that the condition of their constitutions will not be improved by their attendance at this school. Before the outbreak of small-pox the number of children on the roll was 352, but it has diminished, and now there are 162 boys and 111 girls, amongst them being a fair proportion of infants. When the place was taken possession of for the purposes of a Public school it is said that Mr. Poulton, clerk of works to the Department of Public Instruction, drew the attention of the authorities to the fact that the closet and lavatory arrangements were of an unsatisfactory character, and ought to be remedied. In September last, Mr. Dwyer, one of the school inspectors, made a report of a similar nature, and was followed in a like strain by Mr. R. N. Morris, another inspector. The attention of these gentlemen was drawn to the subject by Mr. P. D. M'Cormick, the head master. It seems also that the Hon. Bowie Wilson and Mr. J. Stuart, members of the school Board, inspected the arrangements, and declared them to be shameful. Mr. Stuart subsequently visited the premises, and finding that nothing had been done to improve them, said he would draw the attention of the Inspector of Nuisances to the fact. Hence, probably, the report of Mr. Seymour and his officers so justly unfavourable to the place. The closet for the boys, 162 of whom are on the roll, is three feet wide by four feet long, the walls being of unplastered brick, and six feet high. It contains one low seat, and has water laid on to it. The floor yesterday was covered with ooze, which seemed to emanate from the drain, and some old boards were thrown down for the boys to stand on. Although it and the closet for the girls were cleaned on Friday, their condition is as objectionable as we should imagine it was previous to that date. In the boys' school there is an intolerable stench, and the lads may with little difficulty climb the walls and look into the apartment apportioned to the girls. The closet for the girls, of whom there are 111 on the roll, adjoins that used by the boys. It contains two low seats, with small pans of such construction that they cannot be cleaned by the flow of water from the cistern, and consequently are dirty in appearance and foul in smell. The apartment is only four feet by three feet, and it is said that the drains are badly connected. The girl scholars and their teachers use the same apartment, and have not the amount of privacy that should be ensured for them. A small dirty-looking offensive urinal is provided for the boys. Previous to Friday the three apartments were so dark that the inspectors had to use candles to examine them, but since then a hole has been made in the roof which admits the light (and rain) and permits the exhalations to be the more readily absorbed in the surrounding atmosphere. The lavatories consist of two enamelled iron basins let into a wooden bench that is falling to decay. They have no roof to them. It was said that the place on Friday last was cleaned up and put in order! The master, it seems, urged the necessity for placing a floor in the boys' apartment, but objections were raised against this on the ground that the place was only leased. The better classes of children who used to attend the place are now absent. There is little to wonder at in this. Any parents having respect for their offsprings' health would hesitate long before consigning them to confinement in such a place. The lady teachers frequently complain of the stench arising from the closets. The one who has charge of the infants' school especially has reasonable grounds for complaint, for her school is in a line with the closets, and she and the children under her care must suffer from the effluvia thence arising. When, however, the back door is opened the whole school is impregnated with detestable smells. Not 60 yards away is situated a house quarantined by reason of small-pox having appeared in it. The windows of the house were opened yesterday, and the wind blew from their quarter direct towards the school. That the authorities do not fear a spread of infection is manifest. On the occasion of the master pointing out the possibility of its taking place, they decided that the school should continue to be conducted, with the customary precautions.



OVERLAND PASSENGER TRAFFIC.

[By Telegraph.]

ALBURY, Monday.

The following passed through to-day:—

For Sydney: Mr. and Mrs. J. Wallis, Miss Rogers, Mrs. David Blair, Mr. and Mrs. A. Davis and child, Mr. and Mrs. W. Murphy, Mr. L. J. Thorne, Miss Thorne, Messrs. James Steedman, S. Gordon, S. F. Blackmore, G. Chaikland, Milarum.

For Melbourne: Mr. and Mrs. Ley, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar, Eberle, Mr. and Mrs. Rourke, Mrs. Butler, Master Butler, Miss Bell, Messrs. B. W. Gribben, John Gazzard, J. S. Mackenzie, H. Prevot, James Shaw, Bowman, Miller.

WATERLOO TOWN-HALL.

The ceremony in connection with the laying of the foundation-stone of a Town-hall at Waterloo took place on Saturday afternoon in the presence of about 2000 spectators, amongst whom were the Hons. M. Fitzpatrick, James F. Garvan, W. H. Pigott, A. R. Fremlin, and John See, Ms.L.A.; Aldermen Kidman and Kiss (of Randwick), Mr. Stanley (Mayor of Redfern), Rev. T. J. Curtis, Rev. J. N. Manning, and the Rev. Father Berry; and also, Aldermen W. Evans, John Mulder, W. G. James, Samuel Marsden, Robert Gray, Robert Gibson, James Harriskey (of Waterloo). Alderman Evans having, on behalf of the aldermen, presented the Mayor of the Borough (Mr. P. Hogan) with a silver trowel and mallet, that gentleman performed the usual ceremony, and declared the stone to be "well and truly laid." The mallet and trowel, which were very handsome, were obtained from the establishment of Messrs. Hardy. In the foundation-stone a bottle had previously been deposited containing coins of the realm, copies of the *Sydney Morning Herald*, *Daily Telegraph*, *Evening News*, *Robert's Times*, *Government Gazette*, the by-laws of the borough, and also a document of which the following is a copy:—"The foundation-stone of this edifice designed for a Town-hall for the Borough of Waterloo was laid by the Mayor, P. Hogan, Esquire, J.P., on the 20th August, 1881, in the 45th year of the reign of her Majesty Queen Victoria; Lord Augustus William Frederick Spencer Loftus, K.C.B., Governor-General of the colony; Messrs. Thornley and Smedley, architects; Messrs. Pritchell and Poulton, builders; William Evans, Andrew Forsyth, James Harriskey, Samuel Marsden, Robert Gray, William George James, John Mulder, and Robert Gibson, Aldermen. (Signed) P. Hogan, Mayor; Charles Harris, Council Clerk."

The building, which is to stand at the corner of Kellick and Elizabeth streets, is designed in the Italian style, and will cover an area of 3152 square feet, the principal entrance being in Elizabeth-street. The front will have an entrance porch carried up over the first floor, and terminating in a bold tower, ornamented with cast-iron cresting and ornamental pediment for a clock. The general windows are to be triplet, the centre of each being semicircular headed, enriched with mouldings and balustrades. An ornamental verandah, supported on cast iron columns, will protect the principal rooms from the heat of summer. A space is arranged in front for planting trees and shrubs, with a neat iron enclosure to the same. The main roof will be carried up high, and ornamented with a cast-iron cresting. Entering from the vestibule will be the waiting-room on one side, and the council-chamber on the other, both being spacious halls. A strong-room is arranged at the end of the council-room for the storing and preservation of documents. There is also in Kellick-street a private entrance, leading into the clerk's residence and private rooms. A kitchen and cooking apparatus have also been arranged at the end of corridor for the convenience of heating whole public dinners are being given. The main hall leads to a commodious staircase, arranged for a double flight above, leading into an ante-room, and thence into the hall of the building occupying the main space, and covering an area of 1632 square feet. This room will be 20 feet high, with a high coved ceiling, arranged with ornamental pilasters and cornice decorations, and panelled in the main coved cove with narrow boarding arranged in a geometrical pattern, with ornamental ribs and perforated ventilators. Light will be obtained by well-supplied sun-lights. The ventilation has been well attended to, and every precaution taken to ensure a cool and even current of air throughout the building. Arrangements have also been made for the fitting-up of a proscenium arch to this hall, and dressing-room attached for concerts, &c. The architects for the work are Messrs. Thornley and Smedley, of 171, York-street; and the contractors are Messrs. Bretnal and Poulton.

The site for the building was given by Mr. T. Buckland, on behalf of Sir Daniel Cooper, at a nominal rent of £10 per year. The land is about one-quarter of an acre in extent, and the borough of Waterloo is to be congratulated upon securing so valuable a piece of ground under such favourable conditions, and also upon their prospect of having a town-hall which will be a credit to the town.

After the laying of the stone, the Mayor spoke of the progress which the borough had made. The town was one of the first incorporated, having been incorporated in the year 1859, when the assessed rates were only £300 per annum. Six years ago, however, when he took office, the rates had reached £800; but during the period of his mayoralty the town had made a gigantic stride, as would be realized when he stated that the assessed rate for the present year was £2200—(cheers)—whilst provision was also made for the collection of £500 as a gas rate. The progress of the town had been particularly marked in the last two years, during which 1060 new buildings had been erected. He thought that under the circumstances, and considering the requirements of the town and the rapid manner in which it was growing, they were fully justified in erecting the proposed town-hall. (Applause.)

Cheers having been accorded to her Majesty the Queen, his Worship the Mayor, and also the Mayoress, an adjournment was made to a luncheon provided by Mr. Corrie, of the Botany Tea Gardens, in a creditable manner. The Mayor occupied the chair, and Mr. Alderman Marsden the vice-chair. The following toasts were honoured:—"The Queen," "The Prince of Wales," "The Governor," "The Parliament," "Municipal Institutions of the Colony," "The Chairman," and "The Press."

We understand that the town-hall is to be completed in six months from the present time.

COMMERCIAL.

TAMWORTH STOCK MARKET.

[By Telegraph.]

TAMWORTH, Monday.

At Messrs. Nathan Cohen and Co.'s regular weekly auction sale of fat stock to-day cattle of medium quality were only yarded. Prices averaged 13s. per 100 lbs. They sold: Duff's bullocks, from £3 10s. to £3 19s. 6d. Sheep: Only a few inferior forward; sold Duff's wethers, 9s. 6d.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

Sale of 1146 bales, from Sydney and Queensland, by J. T. Simes and Co., on Saturday, June 18, 1881:—

Ex Liguria, from Sydney: BN in block, 11 at 20d; JC, Numby, 13 at 20d; BES, 25 at 20d; Waroo over PB, 14 at 20d; Morrice, 42 at 19½d, 20 quarter-bred at 19d; TB over O, 10 at 19d; HM, 10 at 18d; AAA, 35 grease at 13d, 2 damaged at 12d; Uambie, 9 grease at 12½d; CS, Browling, 12 at 12d.

Ex Cairnbulg, from Sydney: M'Leod, 8 scoured combing at 14½d.

Ex Trafalgar, from Sydney: GHG, Mount Ariel, 12 grease hoggets at 14d, 28 at 13½d, 5 lambs at 11d.

Ex Duchess of Edinburgh, from Sydney: Tabratong, 6 scoured locks part fleece at 13d, 41 grease at 11½d, 11 lambs at 11d, 80 grease at 11d, 77 at 10½d, 2 damaged at 10d, 7 mixed part black at 10d, 11 bellies at 8d; K, Coradgery, 6 grease hoggets at 12½d, 131 grease at 12d, 1 damaged at 11d, 12 pieces and bellies at 8½d; ARM, Gorman's Hill, W, 41 grease combing at 12d, 14 grease at 11d, 1 damaged at 10½d, 12 bellies and pieces at 9d.

Ex Loch Etive, from Sydney: AM over H, 30 grease at 12d, 4 pieces at 9½d, 5 belly pieces and locks at 7d; JM Lewis, 35 grease at 12d, 1 pieces and locks at 7d.

Ex Candida, from Sydney: S over JS, 5 grease at 12½d; ITN connected, 12 at 12½d; 1 over U, 8 grease at 12d; JWC, 33 at 12d, 6 damaged at 11d; AS, 6 grease at 11½d; EO, Yalgilbar, 7 grease at 11½d, 1 damaged at 10d; JJRG, 14 grease at 10½d, 2 quarter-bred at 8½d.

Ex Peterborough, from Sydney: Jones, Merigal, 15 grease combing at 12d.

Ex Dunbar Castle, from Brisbane: Gunn, 14 at 25d, 11 at 24½d, 6 at 23d, 3 at 21d, 1 at 20½d, 1 damaged at 19½d, 8 pieces at 15½d, 1 damaged at 14½d, 3 bellies at 15d, 1 pieces at 11½d; SHW, Toowoomba, Darling Downs, 7 scoured at 18d; HB&Co. over DB over O, 10 at 17½d, 1 locks at 11d; ditto over W, 2 scoured pieces at 15d, 7 grease at 11d; K&W in diamond, Jondaryan, 16 grease at 12½d.

Ex Carnatic, from Brisbane: Emmett Downs, 3 grease lambs at 12d, 16 grease at 10d, 26 at 9½d, 7 skirts and pieces at 8½d, 1 lambs at 8d; Myall Grove over IYA, 6 grease at 11d.

A NEW ZEALAND FARMER'S OPINION OF FREE SELECTORS IN AUSTRALIA.

The president of the Otago Agricultural Association, Mr. Thomas Brydone, has of late been endeavouring to collect as much information as possible about dairying, particularly comparing the condition of the dairy farmer and the ordinary grain-growing farmer, and the result of his investigation is most decidedly in favour of the former. His inquiries were not confined to New Zealand. He visited this colony and Victoria; and his opinions regarding the condition of free selectors as set forth in a paper recently read before the association, although he selects the darkest shades for illustration, are worthy of the consideration of those who deem the position of the Australian grain-grower enviable. Mr. Brydone says:—

"I went up the country amongst the free selectors both in Victoria and New South Wales, and so long as I kept amongst those who depend upon grain-growing I found a class of people existing in a most miserable condition where the land was still occupied, but many farms I found entirely deserted. We in New Zealand have no idea of the state of these free selectors, and you will hardly credit me when I tell you that men with their 200 and 300 acres of what is termed wheat-growing land are in a state of semi-starvation. Most of them live in log huts covered with bark, seldom more than one apartment; half the glass gone from the window, if it ever had any to commence with; rents in the walls and roof wide enough for a small boy to crawl through. This mansion is generally the only building on the farm, there being, indeed, no need for any others, as there would be nothing to put in them.

"The stock consists of two or three screwed-up horses of a nondescript breed, all skin and bone, giving one the shivers to look at; a couple of cows, a sow with a few followers, and a mob of geese. The implements fell far short of Burns's inventory, as all that ever I could see was a light dray and sometimes a spring-cart, both in the last stages of consumption, an old swing plough, and sometimes a couple of harrows. As for reapers and binders, or even a reaping machine, they are things to be read of. The districts which I visited, having been timbered country, are full of stumps, and consequently unsuited for machinery; but there are districts of open land, where stripping machines and double-furrow ploughs are used. I am only speaking of what I saw, and how these men live I cannot imagine. I was told that many of them have only one meal a day, and really they look like it. Till I got amongst the dairying class I was thoroughly disgusted with farming in Australia; but when in New South Wales I visited a large dairying district about 60 miles south of Sydney on the coast, where I found an old settlement of small farmers in a very different state of prosperity, and where nothing but dairying has been practised for the last 20 or 30 years.

"As illustrating what may be done by dairying, I will give a short account of this very interesting settlement. The dairying is confined principally to three districts, named Wollongong, Kiama, and Shoalhaven; and as Kiama is the one which I went through, I shall speak of it only. The area of the district is 57,400 acres—the size of some of our freehold estates in New Zealand; it has a population of 6500, including the Kiama township and rural population by the district only. There are 28,409 head of cattle, 19,000 of which are milch cows, 2526 horses, 621 sheep, and 10,700 pigs. The farms generally run from 100 to 200 acres, a few being up to 300 acres, and are mostly occupied by the owners, although some are leased from absentees. The land was all originally covered with timber, and clumps still exists, with any quantity of stumps about. No grain or root crops are grown, the only cultivation being a few potatoes, of which they can grow two crops in the year, and a sort of bastard sugar-cane called "planter's friend," which grows a very heavy crop, is cut in a half-ripe condition, and given to the cows in early winter when press is scarce. The farmers generally milk from 30 to 50 cows, but some have 80 to 100. The most of the milk is made into butter, and generally sold in Sydney, but at times the market there gets glutted, and any surplus has to be disposed of wherever there is an opening. The price obtained varies from 6d. to 1s. 6d. a pound, the average for the year being about 9d.

"Very little cheese is made, as butter is considered to pay the best. The returns from the dairies vary a good deal, in accordance with the quality of the cows and the skill and attention given them. I heard of one dairy of 40 cows which yielded an average of 6lb. of butter per cow a week for the whole year, and some cows produce as much as 18lb. a week for a few months in the summer; but the average of the whole district is estimated at about 160lb. per cow per annum, in addition to which a little sweet milk is used for calves and the keep of the family. The cows are not large, and have been bred up from the usual colonial cattle, both Shorthorn and Ayrshire bulls having been used, so that the cross now appears to be about two-thirds Shorthorn and one-third Ayrshire.

"The whole work on the farm is generally done by the farmer and his family. The morning milking commences between 5 and 6, according to the season of the year and the habits of the individuals, and the evening milking between 4 and 5, and about two hours is taken for each. Fifteen cows are considered a full complement for one person to milk. Of course, in addition to the revenue obtained from the butter, there are some surplus stock and a good many fat pigs, the whole actual return being between £7 and £8 a cow, the best dairies going as high as £10 and the worst not making more than about half that sum."

THE NEW BRITAIN MASSACRE.

In the *Weekly Advocate* of Saturday last, the Rev. B. Chapman, General Secretary of Wesleyan Missions, writes as follows:—

"The letters of Mr. Danks convey to us information of the murder by the natives of Mr. Klinesmith, a naturalist, and two men in his employ. This atrocious deed has excited great indignation against the perpetrators, and very naturally. It is, however, only *just* to the natives that we should be made acquainted with the provocation which they received, we shall then be better able to estimate their guilt.

"From reliable information in my possession, it appears that Mr. Klinesmith, who was residing at Meoko, Duke of York Island, purchased an island from the natives. We know that in such cases complications frequently arise when the purchaser enforces all the rights of purchase as understood by Europeans. I am not aware that any such difficulties arose in this case, but I am informed that Mr. Klinesmith considered that, with the island, he bought the people who lived there, and that he consequently had a right to their service.

"It appears that on a certain Sunday in April some of the people from this island were over at Meoko, and Mr. Klinesmith wished them to go with him to Biraru, in New Britain. In this case they had previously agreed to go, and had taken payment from Mr. Klinesmith. One of the people now advised the others not to go, as they would be away one or two months. Thereupon all refused. Mr. Klinesmith was enraged with them, and especially with the man whose advice had determined their conduct, and he fired a charge of small shot at this man, two of which entered his shoulder. This outrage naturally provoked the natives, and they set off to their island. Klinesmith said to them, 'You go first, and I will follow.' They replied, 'Very good, you follow.' Accompanied by the two men in his service Klinesmith entered his boat, and they went over to the island. The people did not meet him on his arrival there, so he went to their houses and set fire to some of them, and burnt them down, and then he broke up some of their canoes. He then went to a number of the people who were sitting together, and seems to have had an altercation with them, and it is believed more small shot was fired by some one of Klinesmith's party, but without wounding any one this time. This was more than the natives were disposed to endure, so they turned upon the three Europeans, who made for their boat, but were all killed before they could reach it. I leave your readers to say whether there is any cause for surprise that the natives should act as they did in the circumstances. I should remind your readers that the savages who murdered these men were cannibals; and it is a very significant fact that one of our teachers had acquired such influence over them that he went over to the island and recovered the mutilated bodies of the murdered men, and took them over to Meoko for interment.

"I am sorry to say that this outrage prompted the natives to plot the extermination of all the white traders, and the seizure of their property. This led to a combination of the whites, an attack upon the natives, and to loss of life, of which we shall, no doubt, bear more particulars soon. So far, however, as I can see, all this evil arose out of the unwarrantable provocation given by imprudent and rash men."

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OUR BRISBANE LETTER.

BRISBANE, AUG. 18.

We are suffering from an access of demonstrative loyalty just now. The arrival of the Princes was so unexpected that we had not the time to make regular preparations, and the reception was accordingly rather a scratch affair. The Squadron was sighted very early on Tuesday morning, and took nearly the whole day slowly steaming to the anchorage. It was therefore not till after 8 o'clock in the evening that the Kate (s.), with the Princes and some of the officers of the Squadron on board, arrived in town. They were landed at a temporary stage, put up on the river bank in the public gardens, and taken round by the nearest carriage road to Government House. There were, of course, many thousands of people assembled in the gardens and on the line of procession, and although it was too dark for them to distinguish anybody in particular, they cheered as well as they could in honour of the invisible royalties. I say as well as they could, for, from what I have heard, I should say that cheering was a lost art in Brisbane. People here raise a curious irregular shout, largely compounded of whistles and yells. The next morning the Princes and a large riding party started out from Government House and went round the hilly suburbs of the town, enjoying the many beautiful views to be obtained from those elevations. As they passed down Queen-street considerable crowds were assembled on the footpaths and in the windows and balconies. They were singularly ill-mannered crowds. Hundreds of men stood staring vacantly at the spectacle without a hat being raised among a score of spectators. At different points cheers were raised, but for the most part the people contented themselves with gaping, open-mouthed, at the sight. At the same time there was a generally favourable impression created by the pleasant looking gentlemanly lads. Of course the vessels of the Squadron lying in the harbour are objects of the greatest possible interest to the people of Brisbane, steamers run down every day, and the officers are most polite in showing them the wonders of modern warlike machinery. To-day has been proclaimed a general holiday, and every available steamer in port has gone down crammed with sight seers.

It has been arranged that there are only to be three addresses—one from each branch of the Legislature, and one from the Municipal Council—and they will be presented to-day. This evening there will be an at home at Government House, to-morrow Ministers are giving a picnic at Enoggera, and in the evening there will be a grand ball given by the Mayor at the Exhibition Building. It was hoped that the Squadron would remain over Saturday, and accordingly a race meeting was arranged for that day. The Squadron will go, but the meeting will be held. An attempt is to be made to get up a football match between the Squadron team and men selected from the local clubs. One curious incident of the visit was a scene which occurred in Court yesterday. Mr. Justice Harding, whose eccentricities have attracted much notice since he has occupied a seat on the Bench, is apparently of the opinion that his dignity has been hurt by the fact that he had not been officially notified of the public arrangements, and dilated on the neglect to the amusement rather than the edification of the Bar, the suitors, and the audience in Court. The Attorney-General endeavoured to soothe him but with indifferent success, he was, however, induced to refrain from doing anything very terrible by way of marking his resentment.

The telegraph will have advised you of the death of Dr. James O'Quinn, Roman Catholic Bishop of Brisbane. He was in the 63rd year of his age, and yet his death is attributed to a general constitutional break up, probably due to the constant attacks of acute rheumatism from which he suffered. This prelate has played a very important part in the history of the colony. Consecrated Bishop of Brisbane about the time when the separation of Queensland was accomplished, he arrived to take charge of his diocese soon afterwards. When he landed he found his Church in a struggling condition, and burdened with a debt which, though small in actual amount, was heavy in proportion to the means of the people. He set himself vigorously to work to make it pre-eminent in Queensland. Recognising the fact that the financial condition of a Church had much to do with its position, he devoted his attention to the accumulation of property. The debt soon became a thing of the past, and he accumulated land and other possessions to the value, it is said, of a quarter of a million, which will now pass over to the Church. Besides this, he has followed the Roman Catholics with churches in all parts of the colony, and has completely taken possession of the field of higher female education with the convent schools, as well as provided for the teaching of the Irish girls over the whole colony by means of the lower class nuns' schools. The Roman Catholic cathedral in Brisbane is the only ecclesiastical building of any architectural pretension in the city, a handsome convent school is in course of erection, and the Roman churches are the most conspicuous edifices in most of our towns. But he did not confine his efforts to the accumulation of money and the building of churches and schools. He used the machinery of our early Immigration Acts to bring out a stream of selected Irish immigrants, and in this manner he added about 5000 souls to our population. Indeed, at one time it was a common saying that he intended to populate the colony with people of his own race and creed, so vigorous and successful were his efforts in that direction. Among his own people he was not very popular. He kept in his own hands the guidance of the complex and growing business which he had undertaken. He had vast designs, he intended to build up in Queensland a great Catholic community; and, while he worked with unflagging zeal at the task, he demanded strict and unquestioning obedience from his subordinates and his flock. Penetrated with the autocratic spirit of his Church he resented interference from his spiritual subjects, and would brook neither question nor resistance. Of late years symptoms of insubordination were often manifest; and it is said that his haughty spirit was to some extent broken by the discovery that his authority was becoming weaker among the people for whom he worked so hard, and whose unquestioning allegiance he claimed. But if this were so, he showed no sign of yielding. He presented a haughty and unbending front to the rebels, and accomplished the designs on which he had set his heart. Outsiders, Protestants and others, held the bishop in high estimation. In all his dealings with them he showed a frank courtesy which won golden opinions—in the very literal sense of the words often—from non-Catholics of all kinds. His tact was especially apparent in the settlement of the Education question. Having ascertained that he would have no chance whatever of victory in a political struggle, he did not give battle, and, except on one recent occasion, confined himself to dignified protests, asserting the claims of his Church, and expressing his confidence that justice would ultimately be done to it. If, therefore, the Romans here determine at any future time to engage in a political struggle, they will enter on it with unbroken strength, and not disheartened by previous defeat. He established a claim on the goodwill of the colonists also, about seven years ago, when a riot, caused by a number of fanatical Irishmen at Ipswich, created an indignant feeling throughout the colony, and threatened to cause serious trouble at an Orange picnic which had been arranged about the same time to take place near Ipswich. The ecclesiastical machinery of the Church was put in force to restrain his own people from carrying out their threats of interfering with the Orangemen, while the bishop, having gone to the picnic, won the hearts of the picnickers by frankly joining in their festivities and fraternising with them. He thus quashed a rising feeling of sectarian bitterness which might have been productive of infinite mischief. In many ways, also, he exerted his influence in the cause of peace and mutual goodwill. By his death the colony loses a remarkable man, and one who has occupied a foremost place in its short history; and the judgment of his own flock on him will be the more favourable, as they are removed from the irritation produced by the tight rein he kept over them, and are able to appreciate justly the great work he accomplished for their Church. Although the break down in his health was very sudden, he lingered more than twenty-four hours after receiving the last rites of his Church, and it was even hoped he might live to bid farewell to his brother, the Bishop of Bathurst, who was hastening to Brisbane. The latter will, however, take part in the funeral ceremonies, which will probably be on a scale of mournful splendour never before exceeded here.

Politically, all has been very quiet since my last. It is now an understood thing that neither land grant railway scheme will be brought forward this session. I do not know whether the failure to bring forward the scheme for a railway to the south is due to the projectors or the Government. If the former, there is, of course, nothing to be said; but if, as generally reported, to the latter, it will prove a very serious matter, and may, I fear, imperil both projects. Nothing but purely party considerations could induce Ministers to hold back a project, ready for accomplishment, which is in exact accord with the fundamental principle of their own policy. If the inauguration of this system of railway combination is to be delayed, and its success imperilled by a delay for which there is no reason other than mere party exigencies, people will begin to ask what reliance can be placed on the solemn declaration of the Premier that it is essential to the financial safety of the colony; and the reluctance which so many feel to commit the colony to these vast undertakings will be greatly intensified.

In his estimates for the present financial year, the Treasurer expects an increase in revenue of about £130,000: that is, he hopes to get £1,900,000, instead of the £1,771,145 actually received last year. This increase he expects to obtain mainly from taxation and public works and services, and he only proposes to sell land by auction to the value of £100,000, instead of £165,000, as in the year just closed. The expenditure is estimated at a very low figure, there being little increase except for interest on public loan, and the subsidy to the new mail service. A surplus of £55,000 is therefore anticipated, and there will be no fresh taxation.

Weather still dry, but the sky, as I write, is cloudy. The drought is becoming serious in some districts.

NOVEL PROCEEDINGS IN THE SUPREME COURT, BRISBANE.

(From the Courier, August 18.)

On the meeting of the Supreme Court yesterday morning, Mr. Justice Harding, in referring to the proceedings connected with the visit of the Princes, said that when the Court adjourned on the previous day he had said that the Government had taken no steps to intimate to the Judges of the Court the course of procedure, or to place them in a position to see what had taken place. To-day he knew nothing more officially than that the following day had been proclaimed a holiday, and as a Minister of the Crown had been present in the Court when he made the previous observations, he could only think that the slight was intentional. He proposed, when this case was finished, to continue the business of the country, and he could only let the jury not empannelled go until such time as he would be likely to know with certainty for what period they could be further excused from attendance. He was sorry to put them to this inconvenience, but it was the only course he could follow. The Chief Justice ranked next to the first man in the colony; and up to yesterday he had had no knowledge of what was being done in connection with the visit of two sons of the Prince of Wales to our shores, nor had he been in any way communicated with on the subject. This being so, this was the only means of letting the country know how it was that the gentlemen compelled to be present had been inconvenienced, if they had been inconvenienced at all.

The Attorney-General said he had not heard all of his Honor's remarks, but had heard a Minister of the Crown mentioned. That, he supposed, referred to him. He understood his Honor to say that something the Ministry had done was regarded by him as an intentional slight. All he (the Attorney-General) could say was, that all the information that he or any other member of the Ministry had his Honor was aware of. To-day he observed there was to be a reception at Government House, and the following day would be a public holiday. The reception his Excellency the Governor was entirely responsible for.

His Honor: As many in court would no doubt like to go to that reception, I shall adjourn the Court for half-an-hour in the afternoon to allow them to do so.

The Attorney-General: I think that will be hardly sufficient, as it will be necessary to go home and dress for the occasion. As to Thursday being a holiday, all know what your Honor knows. As to what is to be done on that day, I know no more than you. There is nothing that the Ministry knows which your Honor is not aware of. The whole of the proceedings connected with this matter are in the hands of the Governor. He is responsible for everything done, and the Ministry are responsible for nothing.

His Honor: From the Governor or Ministry I have received no information, and that being the case I propose to go on with the business of the country. I am sorry to inconvenience any gentlemen, and I shall give such an adjournment as will enable them to pay their respects at the place mentioned; but at the same time I shall not recognise until that time that anything is occurring. I believe I have the concurrence of my brother Judges and their sympathy in the course I am taking. I shall discharge the jury not now empannelled until 2 o'clock, and let them go as long as possible in the afternoon. As to costume, I shall not object to anyone appearing in the court in full dress.

After an adjournment of half an hour for lunch, and when the case of Perkins v. the *Evangelical Standard* had been called on, the Attorney-General asked the Judge what he proposed doing with regard to an adjournment.

His Honor said: I propose to do nothing. Having had no notice, I do not think I should be doing right in adjourning for our own pleasure. If you can divest yourself of the office of Attorney-General, I shall be glad to consult you as a member of the Bar regarding the most convenient course to follow.

The Attorney-General: As a member of the Bar it is impossible to divest myself of the office of Attorney-General. Your Honor has intimated—what is a matter of grief to me—that you suppose that some intentional slight has been shown to yourself or brother Judges. I think I should be wanting in duty to myself and in consideration for my colleagues were I to permit a statement of that sort to pass without observation. I would be glad if you would point out in what way you consider the slight has been given. If this is done, I can explain the matter, because I know no intentional slight has been offered. I shall be happy to explain or to apologise, if it is shown there is any occasion for apology.

His Honor: Up to the present moment none of the Judges, except privately and through the newspapers, know anything of distinguished visitors being in the colony, further than a *Gazette* notice of a holiday.

The Attorney-General: Neither do the Ministry.

His Honor: I see through the newspapers that one of the Ministry went to the Bay in the Kate to receive them.

The Attorney-General: He went down to receive the officers of the Squadron. The Princes are not here in any official capacity.

His Honor: I am aware that the Government may ignore the position of the Judges, and as far as I can see they are doing so. I shall not enter into any further discussion on the matter.

The Attorney-General: We know nothing more than your Honor, nor can we, to the extent of a straw, influence what may be done, except that we have arranged one small matter for Friday.

His Honor: I believe the course I am taking is the one that would be followed by the Chief Justice. He is my chief, and I believe the course which I am taking is the one I ought to take with regard to myself. I know that he, with one exception, is the first person in the colony. He has told me that as soon as he knows anything he will let me know, and as he has communicated nothing to me, I assume that no intimation has been made to him.

The Attorney-General: There is no intimation to make. The proceedings this afternoon are not official.

His Honor: I shall not discuss the matter further. If the Bar wish it, I will adjourn this case.

Mr. Griffith said he understood that it would be much more convenient to all parties to adjourn the case.

His Honor then said, beyond taking the finding of the jury in the case just finished, he should do no more business till Monday.

MR. JOHN YOUNG AND THE ENGINEER-IN-CHIEF.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—It is obvious from the temperate manner in which Mr. Young has dealt with the question of city extension, that he is sincere in his convictions, and has no desire to mislead in putting forward his statements; but as these are still in one or two important respects inaccurate, I will ask you to permit me to point out where they are so.

Although the surface of the ground at Mr. Whitton's proposed terminal station at King and Elizabeth streets is some 23 feet higher than at Mr. Young's proposed station in York-street, that gentleman appears to forget that the rail level at the Elizabeth-street station would be reached gradually from the Redfern station, whereas in the York-street proposal the rail level would have to be reached in the short distance extending between the Darling Harbour wharf line and the proposed station; no working or elbow room in fact, and hence my argument that such station would necessarily have to be an underground one.

The Elizabeth-street station, on the other hand, would be only partially underground at the Hunter-street end thereof, and, as the plans show, would, to all intents, be an above-ground station, and still afford a practicable gradient thence to Circular Quay, &c.

As to the question of streets crossed by Mr. Young's plan, if the reclamation of the Darling Harbour could be carried out concurrently with the railway extension, the approaches to the proposed over-bridges could of course be obtained; but not otherwise.

Finally, in comparing the underground stations of the metropolitan lines in London with Mr. Young's proposed station, that gentleman is scarcely felicitous; for it must be remembered that in London these stations are an absolute necessity; the immense value of metropolitan frontages and lands would have precluded any other than an underground system of railway.

Great as our progress has been and is, it can scarcely be claimed that we have yet exhausted our means of obtaining above-ground stations in Sydney; and whatever science may accomplish in the way of a substitute for the light of the sun, we are not yet compelled to seek its aid.

I am, &c., C. B.

LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.—MONDAY, AUGUST 22.

Banco Court.—(Before their Honors the Chief Justice, Sir William Manning, and Mr. Justice Windeyer.)

RE MILLS AND THE REAL PROPERTY ACT—JAMES DENGATE, CAVEATOR.

Mr. Manning, instructed by Messrs. Allen and Allen, for the applicant; Mr. C. B. Stephen, instructed by Mr. A. H. M'Culloch, for the caveator.

An order of the Court had been made last May that the caveat be removed, and the certificate issue in the name of Mills. A writ of attachment for contempt of Court in having disobeyed the order by trespassing on the land was made on June 14; and an order was made on 25th June that Dengate should be released from custody on giving bail, and should answer interrogatories in the Prothonotary's office, and should appear on the first day of the present term to answer to his contempt and trespass.

Mr. C. B. Stephen read an affidavit showing that Dengate was insolvent.

The Court, by consent of the parties, warned Dengate not to go on the land, and postponed giving judgment until the first day of next term. Dengate to enter into recognizances in £50 to appear; but he need not appear unless he received notice to do so.

RE DOUST AND THE REAL PROPERTY ACT—INWOOD CAVEATOR.

Upon the motion of Mr. C. B. Stephen, the order of Mr. Justice Windeyer of June 14 was made a rule of Court.

EX PARTE THOMAS S. RUSSELL.

Upon the motion of Dr. Sly, instructed by Messrs. Stephen, Lawrence, and Jaques, the order of Mr. Justice Windeyer of August 19 was made a rule of the Court.

CHRISTIE V. HOSKINS.

The arbitration directed by his Honor Mr. Justice Windeyer in this case is now proceeding in the Jury Court, before Mr. Foster, barrister-at-law, and Messrs. Brentnall and Harold Smith, accountants.

Mr. Pilcher and Mr. Want appear for the plaintiff. Mr. Salomons, Q.C., and Mr. C. B. Stephen, instructed by the Crown Solicitor, appear for the defendant.

INSOLVENCY COURT.—MONDAY.

(Before the Acting Chief Commissioner.)

EXAMINATION MEETINGS.

In the matter of John Joseph Farrelly. This was a meeting for the examination of witnesses. Mr. J. Johnson appeared on behalf of the official assignee. Arthur C. Lesley, being sworn, deposed that he acted as solicitor for the insolvent in December of last year; he was attesting witness to the execution of the deed produced marked A, and also to the receipt of £2000; could not now tell how that money was paid; believed insolvent signed the deed in witness's office; the deed he believed was afterwards given up to the solicitors, Messrs. Want, Johnson, and Want as a foundation of the discharge of incumbrances upon the insolvent's interest under his father's will; he was aware that Mr. Nutting was advancing £2500 to insolvent; no money passed to the insolvent at the time the deed was executed, but some money passed afterwards; he perused a mortgage deed from insolvent to Erwin and Nutting; the first money that passed was on the 10th January, 1881, the day insolvent executed a mortgage to Nutting; £530 was by promissory note made by Erwin in favour of insolvent, and it was a twelve-months' bill; insolvent received the note and handed it to witness, who afterwards gave it back to him; he believed Mr. Jones had the bill now; believed the balance was paid by a cheque of Mr. Murdoch's; he could not say the amount, but believed it was £500; he paid that to his credit in the Australian Joint Stock Bank, and it was honoured; insolvent got only £1000; he was aware that Erwin was an uncertificated insolvent at the time he gave the promissory note, but it was given behind witness's back; all that insolvent received was that promissory note and £500; £300 of that amount was paid to the joint account of witness and insolvent in the Joint Stock Bank; that was done because witness thought that if insolvent got drinking he would spend the money; the balance of the money (£200) was paid in clearing off insolvent's liabilities, including £25 for witness's services; Murdoch received about £7 7s. for making out a deed; witness had received a certificate of title from Richardson and Wrench in the name of David Roberts; Mr. Wrench told him the firm had had notice from the official assignee not to deliver the deed to anyone, as he claimed it on behalf of insolvent's estate; witness originally gave the deed to Richardson and Wrench for the sale of the land; it was originally a certificate in the name of Farrelly, and subsequently was transferred to David Roberts, who is a clerk in the office of the Hon. S. D. Gordon; it was transferred to him as trustee for Farrelly; the land was transferred from Mrs. Russell to Farrelly; when he left the deed he asked Richardson and Wrench what they could get for it, and they could not tell him; he placed a reserve of £150 upon it; did not think insolvent got anything more from Erwin in respect of the deed he gave him.

Llewellyn Charles Russell Jones, sworn, deposed that he had a promissory note made by Erwin in favour of insolvent for £530; insolvent called upon him in the middle of March, and asked him to write to Mr. Leslie and ask him for an account; he called upon Leslie, who promised to send an account, and afterwards he saw witness and told him he had seen insolvent, and that he was satisfied; insolvent afterwards told him that he had received the promissory note for £530 from Erwin, and asked him to take care of it; witness had lent insolvent various sums of money amounting to about £5 6s.; never asked insolvent whether he was satisfied with Mr. Leslie or not; he asked witness to try and get some land from Mr. Leslie, which insolvent had bought for £150.

James Erwin sworn, stated that he was an uncertificated insolvent; there was a judgment debt against him which was all he owed; had made an application for a certificate, but did not know with what result; had been insolvent three times, but on the two former occasions his estate had been released from sequestration; he remembered coming under an agreement to pay insolvent £2 a week for life; he was also under an agreement to pay off a mortgage for £500, which insolvent had given to his wife's trustees; he knew that the trustees had given Farrelly the money; the consideration for his making these payments was that insolvent transferred to him his interest under his father's will; never paid insolvent a penny of his (witness's) money up to the 13th January of this year; he never paid a farthing of his own money under the deed produced; he handed the money (£104) to insolvent by witness out of moneys which belonged to his wife's trustees; it was handed back to him again and he put it back into the safe, and afterwards insolvent was paid £1 a week and sometimes more; of the £104 insolvent got £78 in a lump sum about six months after the deed was signed; witness got that money out of the safe; insolvent received a great number of payments after that; between the 31st December, 1879, and the 13th January, 1881, insolvent received additional payments out of witness' wife's moneys, amounting to about £500; by the deed of 24th December last he purchased back the annuity of £104; could not tell how much out of the moneys received from Mr. Nutting on witness's mortgage to him insolvent received; of the £1900, £1100 was applied to pay off witness's wife's trustees mortgage; the mortgage deed produced was the document referred to; he was present and saw Mr. Murdoch give his (witness's) wife's trustees a cheque for £1100 in discharge of the mortgage; Mr. Murdoch was then acting for his wife's trustees and himself; that was the day after he got the money from Want, Johnson, and Scarvell in respect of Nutting's advance; he knew that the mortgage to his wife's trustees was only £500 in the first instance, but they had increased the advances to £1100, paid through witness to insolvent; it was nearly all paid in gold; there was £1000 in gold in the house three or four months before the mortgage for £500 was given; that £1000 was partly the proceeds of the sale of his wife's separate estate; the property was sold to Gardiner and Company for £2750; they paid Mrs. Erwin by cheque to the amount of £2730, deducting £20 for lawyers' expenses; the reason the £1000 was kept in the safe in his house was that he was about to purchase some property; the cheque from Gardiner and Co. was paid into the bank by his wife in her own name, and part of it reached the trustees subsequently; he could not tell who put the thousand sovereigns in the safe, but he saw them there; his wife's trustees kept a banking account, and so did witness; he settled the property on his wife before he was ever insolvent; after the £1100 was paid to his wife's trustees, a bill for £530 was given; Mr. Murdoch received the £1900 from Want, Johnson, and Scarvell, and paid £1100 of that amount to his wife's trustees; he also paid witness about £300, but would not swear he did not give him £400, though he did not think he did; gave the promissory note for £530 to Mr. Murdoch, and it was at insolvent's suggestion that the promissory note for £530 was given, instead of cash; he was able to pay the amount of the promissory note when it was matured; out of the £2500 for which insolvent gave a mortgage insolvent had not received more than £500; if called upon to pay the promissory note at once he could get his wife to pay it in order to keep his name good; witness gave the promissory note to Murdoch on the 13th January of this year; it was given in insolvent's presence, but not in the presence of his solicitor; witness's wife had some land at Lane Cove, bought four or five years ago; some time last year witness bought the equity of redemption, which was conveyed to his wife; the amount paid was £50, which he believed was paid in sovereigns taken from his safe; heard from insolvent about ten days ago; he was then at Clarence River; he did not send him there or give him money to go there. The meeting then closed.

In the matter of Charles Moore. This was an adjourned examination meeting. Mr. S. C. Brown appeared on behalf of the official assignee. Insolvent's wife was examined, and swore that neither she nor her husband had any interest in the bakery at Nowra, carried on by Walter Mountford. The latter was further examined in reference to the accounts connected with the bakery and his transactions with insolvent. Insolvent's daughter was also examined, and the meeting was further adjourned till Monday next.

THIRD MEETING.

In the matter of George Richard Dibbs. This was an adjourned third meeting for further evidence in support of the proof of debt by John Frazer and Company. Captain Hynes, of the steamship Huntingdon, was examined with reference to the probable value of the Brunette in London twelve or eighteen months ago, and as to the propriety of bringing such a vessel to Sydney with a view to a satisfactory sale. The meeting was then further adjourned till Thursday. Sir George Innes (instructed by Russell and Son) appeared for Frazer and Company, Dr. Donovan for the official assignee, and Mr. C. J. Manning (instructed by Messrs. Gannon and M'Laughlin) for the petitioning creditor.

SURRENDERS.

George Williams, of Tumut(?), miner. Liabilities, £440 0s. 6d. Assets, £26 9s. 7d. Mr. Lloyd, official assignee.

James Robbs(?), of Wilcannia, late of Wagga Wagga, storeman. Liabilities, £98 10s. Assets, £13. Mr. Stephen, official assignee.

John Purtill, of Wolomal, Tamworth. Liabilities, £37 12s. Assets, £1 10s. Mr. Lyons, official assignee.

SCHEDULES FILED.

James Wilson, of Wattle Flat. Liabilities, £51 11s. 8d. Assets, £13 18s. 1d.

John Bremner, of Bourke. Liabilities, £237 10s., of which £20 is secured. Assets, £35 6s.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COURT.—MONDAY.

(Before Mr. District Court Judge Dowling and a jury of four.)

MOSS V. BEVERIDGE.

Louis Moss sued Lawrence Beveridge, residing at Mittagong, late of Sydney, for payment of rent of house and premises, situated at 225, Oxford-street, and for stock-in-trade, fixtures, fittings, lease, and goodwill of the premises named. The plaintiff claimed £75 4s. The defendant pleaded the Statute of Frauds, and that he was induced to enter into a contract through the misrepresentations of the plaintiff. Mr. Bruce Smith, instructed by Mr. Levey, appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. G. B. Simpson, instructed by Messrs. Holdsworth and Evans, appeared for the defendant.

The case arose out of the purchase of the stock and goodwill of a tobacconist's shop in Oxford-street, which the defendant, after he had entered into the contract, alleged did not contain stock to the value which had been represented by Moss, and that the amount of business done in connection with the shop was not equal to the amount represented by Moss. He, therefore, gave up the shop, and refused to pay the sum that had been agreed upon for the stock and goodwill.

The jury, after a short retirement, gave a verdict for the defendant.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—TUESDAY, AUGUST 23.

Term List.—Motions Nisi for New Trial: Hoffnung and others v. Simpson and another, Ryan v. Lloyd, Newman v. Jones, Bayliss v. Everitt, Moore v. Woolcoly, Stuart v. Bacayene, N. T. M.; Campbell v. Commercial Bank, for leave to appeal.

Chamber List.—Lakeman v. Andrew, Bevan v. Brawn, Trend v. Heyde, Watson and another v. Hutchins, ex parte Richard v Thompson, prohibition; Samuel and another v. Corry.

Prothonotary's Office.—For Taxation: Flenn v. Ashton, 10.30; Young v. Litchfield, 10.30; A. J. S. Bank v. Cohn, 11; Virgoe v. Cook, 11.30; Lakeman v. Andrew, 12.

Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.—Before his Honor Mr. Justice Hargrave, at 9.30 a.m. Motions for probates and administrations; motions to pass accounts for commission.

In Equity.—Before his Honor the Primary Judge, at 11 a.m. Motions and petitions generally: Larkin v. Cunningham, for further consideration; Gill and another v. Gardiner and others, adjourned cross summons; Thompson v. Merriman, hearing.

Divorce Court.—Tuesday, 23rd August.—Norton v. Norton, petition for alimony, *pendente lite*; Dicker v. Dicker, to make decree nisi absolute.

INSOLVENCY BUSINESS.

Tuesday.—Richard Randolph Machattie, M'Causland Lumrock, Jules Anthony de Moulin, Robert Charles Thomson, Edward Hall, Frank Pybus Hillier, Robert Newton, Edward Joseph Norris, Patrick Hayes, Thomas James Huxley, Beron Myers, Charles Tonks, John Hawkins, Joseph Conlon, John Russell, John Ross, Wormall and Blamey, and ex parte Richard Henwood Blamey, Peter M'Donagh, Daniel Doolan, Robert Miller Craig, certificate meetings; Alfred R. West.

Wednesday.—Robert Kay, third meeting; John Michell, Neil Walter Twigg, first meeting; George Fox, second meeting; Stanislau Modrvnski, Thomas Hardy, and James Murray, special for proof; Francis George Battye, Ferdinand Francis Falconer, William Carey Burge, first meetings.

Thursday.—John Mackenzie, John James Eather, accounts and plans; Barrows and Gleeson v. Stephen Muhlebach, application for compulsory sequestration; Francis Scott, adjourned application under rider to 10 Vic., sec. 14; John Ashley, ratifications of directions; William Cropley, ratification of directions or otherwise.

Friday.—Francis Gallagher, third meeting; Henry Richard Shelton, single meeting; Archibald M'Phail, third meeting; William M'Cook, John Stein, single meetings; Hugh M'Rae, second meeting; John Jessop, special for proof; Charles Henry Manton, adjourned special for proof and directions; Frederick William Wynack, first meeting.

DISTRICT COURT.—TUESDAY, AUGUST 23.

Jury Cases.—Lancashire v. Lancashire, Massey and wife v. the Borough of North Willoughby.

MILBURN CREEK COPPER-MINING COMPANY.

The following is the case submitted for the Attorney-General's opinion in the matter of the arbitration between the Milburn Creek Copper-mining Company (limited) and the Government. Case—to advise as to defence and opinion thereon. The agreement in reference to arbitration is left herewith:—

"On the 11th August instant I wrote to the Under Secretary for Mines, requesting that he would inform me of the defence intended to be set up on behalf of the Government and the names of the witnesses intended to be called. In reply, my letter has been returned to me by the Under Secretary, with a minute upon it by Sir John Robertson to the effect that I am better able to make out the defence than he is, and forwarding Sir John's printed minute in the matter, the papers printed by order of Parliament, and the company's deed of settlement, but without any reply to my letter from the Under Secretary or any information being afforded by him as to the evidence required.

"It will be observed that my letter was addressed to the Under Secretary and requesting him to furnish the information required. From the action taken by him in the matter, I assume that he does not intend to comply with my request.

"I have written to Sir John Robertson, requesting that the Under Secretary may be directed to supply the information required, but sufficient time has not elapsed for an answer to be received.

"Mr. Russell, the company's solicitor, has, I am informed, called for the purpose of having an early day fixed for the arbitration to be proceeded with.

"I know nothing whatever of the matter beyond that shown in the printed papers.

"It will be seen by these papers that, under instructions from the Under Secretary for mines, Mr. Pittman, a geological surveyor in the Department, has made a report strongly in favour of the company's claim, and that he is supported by the report of Mr. Wilkinson, the geological surveyor in charge, who makes the value of the company's mine far beyond the value fixed by Mr. Pittman.

"It therefore does not appear likely that any information that can be used in the defence will be obtained from these gentlemen.

"From the action of the Under Secretary for Mines in this matter, I fear that it is intended that the responsibility of discovering whether witnesses can be obtained on the part of the Government shall be thrown upon this department,—a duty which I submit should be performed by the Under Secretary of the department the action of which is called in question. I should be perfectly willing to undertake the task of seeking the witnesses if I knew anything about the matter, but I do not, and the question as to how a mineral property should be valued is surely one that can be more easily dealt with by the Mining Department or some of its officers than by any other department of the Government.

"I have retained Mr. Davis as counsel for the Government in the matter.

"I now submit the papers to Mr. Attorney-General, with a request that he will be pleased to direct what steps are to be taken by me in the matter. As the matter is urgent, will Mr. Attorney-General please take it into consideration at his earliest convenience?

"As this is a matter principally if not exclusively affecting the Department of Mines, the duty of collecting the necessary information for the conduct of the arbitration on the part of the Government in this case clearly devolves upon that department, and not upon the Crown Solicitor. If possible evidence should be obtained to show the value of the mine when it passed out of the hands of Baker and party into the possession of the present holders—the amount of the mortgage on it at the time when it is said to have been offered for sale for £10,000—whether it has been worked since the present owners have held it, and for what length of time—the profits (if any) which it has yielded to them—the present state of the mine—and, generally, such information should be collected as may enable the arbitrators to arrive at a correct conclusion as to the amount to be awarded to Baker and party. It would be as well to employ some competent person outside of the Mining Department to inspect the mine and report upon its present state and prospects. As to the reports of Messrs. Wilkinson and Pittman, I am at a loss to understand how those gentlemen came to put such a value on the mine at a time when it was within their own knowledge actually under offer for £10,000. I quite agree with the Crown Solicitor's opinion that little information of value, as far as the case for the Government is concerned, is likely to be obtained from these gentlemen. It is to be hoped that, as this arbitration has been brought about by the action of the Mining Department, that department will use its utmost efforts to furnish the Crown Solicitor with such information as will enable him to efficiently conduct the case on behalf of the Government. "ROBERT WISDOM, A.G.

"August 26, 1880.

"Since the above was written I have had a consultation with Mr. G. C. Davis, at which the Under Secretary for Mines was present. As Mr. Wood has expressed his willingness to do all in his power to collect the necessary information, the Crown Solicitor will be good enough to place himself in communication with that gentleman.—R.W., August 28, 1880."

JUNCTION of the NORTHERN and SOUTHERN RAILWAYS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In your issue of this morning there is a letter from Mr. H. C. Dangar severely condemning the proposal to connect the Northern and Southern railways by way of Brisbane Water, crossing the Hawkesbury at Mullet Island.

I do not say that Mr. Dangar is not perfectly justified in his opposition to this scheme, but as Parliament has decided that these lines shall be connected, I am sure any suggestion from him pointing out a shorter or better line in any respect will receive every possible consideration.

Mr. Dangar is well aware of the great distinction between finding fault and providing a remedy. I am, &c.,

S. E.

ASTHMA.—JONAS WHITCOMB'S REMEDY. Prepared from a German recipe obtained by the late Jonas Whitcomb, in Europe. It alleviated this disorder in his case when all other appliances of medical skill had been abandoned by him in despair. In no case of a purely asthmatic character has it failed to give immediate relief. It contains no poisonous or injurious properties whatever; an infant may take it with perfect safety. Joseph Burnett and Co., Manufacturers and Proprietors, Boston. The superiority of Burnett's Flavouring Extracts consists in their perfect purity and great strength. Barron, Moxham, and Co., Agents. —Adv.

POLICE.

CENTRAL POLICE COURT.

The Police Magistrate was assisted yesterday morning on the Criminal side by Messrs. Hunt, Hardie, Pritchard, and Armstrong; and on the Summons side by Messrs. Bull and Fraser.

Robert Sullivan, apprehended for drunkenness, assaulted the constable, and for that offence was sentenced to pay 20s., or to be imprisoned seven days.

Robert Thompson was charged with having assaulted constable Dyson in the execution of his duty, and pleaded not guilty. Complainant deposed that between 11 and 12 o'clock on Saturday night he saw the prisoner in the company of a prostitute and ordered them away; prisoner hit him a blow in the mouth. To pay a penalty of 20s., or to be imprisoned seven days.

Ada West, found guilty of being a common prostitute, found wandering and behaving riotously at Redfern, was sentenced to be imprisoned three months.

John Fowler, having neglected to comply with an order of Court for the support of his wife, the sum of £21 being due thereunder, was committed to gaol until the order shall have been complied with so far as regards the present arrears.

Patrick Fitzgerald and *John Howard*, charged with having assaulted Constable Wright, pleaded guilty; *Howard* was further charged with and pleaded guilty to having assaulted Constable Felton, and with having wilfully and maliciously destroyed Felton's uniform trousers. It appeared that about 1 o'clock on Sunday morning, when the constables named had a prisoner in custody, the defendants rushed and struck Wright, knocking him down, and ran away. Felton pursued Howard, who, attempting to avoid apprehension, tripped him, causing him to fall upon his knee, and the fall cut his trousers. In respect to the joint assault upon Wright defendants were sentenced to be imprisoned one month. Howard was sentenced for his assault upon Felton to pay 40s., or to be imprisoned one month; and for his wilful destruction of the policeman's trousers to pay 22s. 6d. damages, or to be imprisoned fourteen days.

In the Summons Court the greater part of the business on the paper was struck out for want of parties; others were postponed, and six were dismissed. In Holmes v. *Holmes*, maintenance, an order was made for payment of 12s. a week.

WATER POLICE COURT.

The bench at the Water Police Court was occupied, yesterday, by Messrs. Hale, Lester, and Holborow.

Charles Fitzpatrick, for assaulting an Indian doctor on the Domain, on Sunday, August 14, was sentenced to pay a fine of 5s. with costs; or, in default, two days in gaol.

Peter Maher, for the double offence of drunkenness and using obscene language, was ordered to pay 60s., or to be imprisoned for 21 days.

Benjamin Crowther was fined £10, with the alternative of one month in gaol, for taking a bottle of rum on board H.M.S. Emerald without the consent of the officer in command.

John Wilkinson, a seaman on board the Delcomyn (s.), was mulcted in the sum of 40s., with the option of two days' imprisonment, for behaving in a disorderly manner.

MEAT MARKET and COLD APPLIANCES v. CENTRAL SALE YARDS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Knowing that you always leave your columns open to ventilate public subjects, I venture to reply to a letter in your paper to-day by a writer calling himself "Stockman." He says it is a mistake for the city aldermen to build public sale yards; that all the dead meat which will be eaten in Sydney must be slaughtered in the country; that people will never buy abattoirs meat if they can get country-killed at the same price; and after he has exhausted his mind in praise of his subject, he then talks of the terrible cruelty the system entails and the great waste and deterioration of the meat, &c. "Stockman" wishes to destroy a national undertaking for the benefit of a few slaughtermen, &c., in the country. Why not leave the public to their own choice without all this lavishing praise about country-killed meat. The matter is well tested at the present time. Country-killed meat is sold every day in town the same as at the abattoirs, and it is not proved yet, after some twelve months' trial, that it is better than town-killed meat. The proof of the pudding is in the eating. If this gentleman would devote his talents to allaying the small-pox fever, I could give him credit for philanthropy. I am, &c., TRUTH

Produce, Provisions, &c.

FLOUR.—Superfine, fine, household, and seconds, manufactured at our Bathurst, Ashfield, and SYDNEY MILLS; also various country and Adelaide brands. Bran, pollard, cornmeal, cornflour, barley, oats, maize (whole and cracked), on SALE by M. BOYLSON and SONS, The Sydney Flour Mills, Grafton Wharf.

JAMES PEMELL and CO., Millers, George-street, opposite Railway Station, Sydney. Silk dressed, Superfine, Fine, and Seconds Flour, Wheat Meal, Maize Meal, Patent Meal, Bran, Pollard, and all other Mill Produce. Best quality, lowest prices.

FLOUR, Bran, Pollard, Maize, Oats, Hay, Chaff, always on hand; lowest prices. JNO. BRIDGE.

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REDGATE'S SPICE AND COFFEE MILLS, Patent and Maize Meal Depot, Liverpool-street, Darling Harbour. Western City Flour Mills, Howick-street, Bathurst.

BAKERS, who wish to make a large white loaf, should use Redgate's extra strong superfine Flour.

THE PURE UNADULTERATED INDIAN TEAS, 2s 6d, 3s, 3s 6d lb. HEBBLEWHITE and CO., 416, Geo.-st.

BUTTER, in 2-lb. tins; the Co-operative Butter Company's Candelo, in prime condition. For SALE, by GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., Pitt-street.

BUTTER.—BUTTER, very prime, for SALE, at P. B. IVEY and CO.'S, 5, King-street (Struth's Wharf).

OATEN HAY, prime, for SALE, in bales, at P. B. IVEY and CO.'S, 5, King-street (Struth's Wharf).

CHAFF.—CHAFF, best Oaten, direct from our works, Ballarat, for SALE, at P. B. IVEY and CO.'S, King-street (Struth's Wharf).

ARRIVED, ex TASMAN, CHOICE HOBART TOWN TRUMPETERS, BARRACOUTTA, TASMANIAN LOBSTERS in SPLENDID CONDITION. MUSSELS, WHITE and FAT. Also, BEAUTIFUL SHIPMENT of SMOKED SALMON, the FINEST sample of SMOKED FISH THIS SEASON. CLARKE'S, MARKET-STREET.

OYSTERS—UNEQUALLED in the SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE. Come and inspect them. CLARKE'S, MARKET-STREET.

POTATOES, Circular Heads and New Zealands, of superior samples, now landing. C. B. Bond, 94, Sussex-st.

RAIN.—RILEY, BROTHERS for UMBRELLAS, MACINTOSHES, LEGGINGS, and OVERCOATS.

Miscellaneous.

PANTOGRAPHS.—85,000 sold. Guaranteed to take your own photograph in any size. Free any address N. S. W. P. O. O., 3s. British Novelty Co., 40, Eastern Market, Melbourne.

POWERFUL MAGNETIC BATTERY, with instructions book. 171, Oxford-street.

TURNING in all its branches. H. MILGROVE and SON, Steam Turnery Works, opposite Town Hall.

SKITTLES, English wood, just received, fine condition. H. MILGROVE and SON, Steam Turnery, 544, George-st.

FOR SALE, improved 40-inch Exeter Cooking RANGE, complete. 139, Pitt-street, Redfern.

FOR BALLS and PARTIES.—Real Roman Pearls and beautiful Fans. Central Bazaar, 494, Geo.-st., opp. Markets.

FOR SALE, a Set of Ivory PYRAMID BALLS. W. H. Richardson, Victoria Auction Mart, opp. Compagnoni's.

COW for SALE, quiet, calved five days, 10 quarts daily. St. Paul's College, Newtown Road.

MILCH COW for SALE; price £5; can be highly recommended. Apply to R. C. Rodd, Five Dock.

GOATSKINS.—Highest price given. ALDERSON and SONS, 101, York-street.

OILSKIN CLOTHING of superior make at factory prices. Goldstein's Oilskin Factory, 215, Lower George-st.

FREEHOLD VILLA LOTS. BALANCE of the ESTATE, Delightfully situated, near CANLEY VALE STATION. 55s to 65s IN FULL. TERMS, 10s DEPOSIT; BALANCE, 5s a MONTH. NO INTEREST. TORRENS' TITLE. PLAN, STUBBS and CO., 321, George-street. OFFICE OPEN on SATURDAY TILL 5 O'CLOCK.

UMBRELLAS.—Single one at Wholesale Price. M. A. HUGHES and CO., 380, George-street.

BILLIARD-ROOM, with two or more tables, wanted to rent. Address Chalk, Herald Office.

BOROUGH OF WATERLOO. BALLAST WANTED at 2s 9d per ton. Apply to the Overseer as above.

TO CITY PROPERTY OWNERS. WANTED, a WAREHOUSE, lease or yearly rental; rent from £300 to £800 per annum. Full particulars, apply J. W. Camper and Co., Auctioneers, &c., 163, Pitt-street, near General Post Office.

HOTELKEEPERS.—Wanted, 2 Hotels, one Petersham or Ashfield, other city or suburbs. 204, Castlereagh-street.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING and miscellaneous articles wanted, large or small quantities. Dawson, 52, York-st.

WANTED, 5-gallon Oil DRUMS. Mabone, Fess, and Co.

WANTED to exchange three English Skylarks for CANARIES. 183, William-street, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, 30 loads of Garden SOIL. Apply Gardener, Swift's, Darling Point.

WANTED to Purchase, for cash, small paying Business, Sydney or suburbs. Address R. P., Herald Office.

WANTED to Purchase a Publican's License, transferable to Waterloo. E. Cameron, Wellington-st., W'loo.

WANTED, Office SAFE. Apply J. Malbon Thompson, solicitor, Colonial-chambers, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a HORSE, suitable for a van; a good trial wanted. Apply 385, Kent-street.

WANTED, a new WAGGONETTE, with pole and shafts, to carry 9 passengers. Kiss, Pitt-street.

RAIN.—RILEY, BROTHERS for UMBRELLAS, MACINTOSHES, LEGGINGS, and OVERCOATS.

Horses and Vehicles.

AMERICAN BUGGIES AND CARRIAGES. And LARGE ASSORTMENT OF EXPRESS WAGGONS. ELEGANT LANDAU, from MELBOURNE EXHIBITION, where it secured a first prize. Parties in search of a thoroughly genuine and good article would do well to inspect our stock, before purchasing elsewhere. Also, LARGE ASSORTMENT BEST AMERICAN HARNESS. SHOWROOMS, WYNYARD-SQUARE, BARRON, MOXHAM, and CO., Importers only.

ANGUS AND SON, COACHBUILDERS and IMPORTERS, 99 and 101, Castlereagh-street. A large and varied stock of vehicles always on hand of the very best quality. Shipments received monthly. Illustrated catalogues free. Patentees of the "Angus Buggy;" also the "Shaft Detacher." Medalists and Special Prize holders. Established 1858.

KEAREY, BROTHERS, Importers and Manufacturers, 355, Pitt-street, Have on SALE Double-seat BUGGIES, SOCIABLES, TOP PHEATONS, JUMP SEATS, CARRYALLS, EXPRESS WAGGONS. A large assortment of English and American HARNESS.

FOR SALE, two HORSES, fit for saddle or harness. Apply A. F. Chamier, Hurlstone, Ashfield.

FOR SALE, BROUGHAM, cheap, in good order. E Kilminster, corner of Ocean and Piper streets, Woollahra.

JUST Landed, most elegantly-finished LANDAU, from Melbourne Exhibition, where it secured first prize. BARRON, MOXHAM, and CO., York-street, Wynyard-square.

TO FARRIERS.—Best Horseshoe Iron, best Bright Horsenails, all sizes. Blacket and Davy, 110, Bathurst-st.

HANDSOME Brown Saddle HORSE, £25; small Pony, Saddle, and Bridle, £8. KNIGHT, 257, Castlereagh-st.

NEW Spring-cart, £12; Pagnel Cart, £14; new Safety Harness, £7; new buggy Harness, £4. KNIGHT.

NEW double Buggy, £32; double hooded Buggy and Harness, £30; single Buggy and Harness, £30. KNIGHT.

SOCIABLE, £30; hawker's Waggon, carry 30 cwt., £35; Waggon, Harness, £34; Buggy Phaeton, £35. Knight.

FOR SALE, Stylish TURNOUT, Single-seated Hooded Buggy, Horse, Harness, suit a doctor or any gentleman; horse stands the tram-car. 91, George and Argyle streets.

FOR Sale, cheap, a second-hand Delivery VAN. J. Baldick, coachbuilder, King-street, Newtown.

HORSES.—For SALE, a high-bred Chestnut MARE, saddle or harness (light). Mr. C. Tucker, 377, George-st.

TO WAGGONETTE, CAB, and OMNIBUS PROPRIETORS. The undersigned, having made special arrangements with manufacturers of CABS, WAGGONETTES, and OMNIBUSES, are prepared to receive applications for same by purchase on time payments, either weekly or monthly. UNION LOAN, MORTGAGE, and DISCOUNT CO., 760, George-street, 3 doors from A. Hordern and Sons.

Auction Sales.

HORSES, VEHICLES, and HARNESS.

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, all lots not specially advertised; and at 12 o'clock, all lots specially advertised. Regular sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown any afternoon. Livery: In this department charges moderate, and best of forage.

Superior Buggy Horse.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock, A chestnut gelding, by Sir Patrick, 5 years, a good mover in harness, and is also a first-class hack, being sold in consequence of owner leaving Sydney.

DOUBLE-SEATED BUGGY.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from M. Walsh, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock, A second-hand double-seated buggy, in good order, with pole, to be sold without reserve.

Horse, Buggy, and Harness.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from W. Turkington, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock, A good quiet harness horse, buggy, and harness, in capital order, and is a splendid turnout.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. Charles M'Intosh to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, A bay gelding, thoroughly broken to saddle and harness, subject to trial.

TWO HEAVY DRAUGHT HORSES.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from J. Tewkesbury, Esq., Bunnerong, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock, Two heavy draught horses, subject to trials, and being sold, as the owner has no further use for them.

BLACKTOWN HORSES.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Thomas Harvey, Esq., Blacktown, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, TO-MORROW, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock, A black draught entire, over 16 hands, by a Champion colt, and subject to any trial. A chestnut draught colt, by King of the Ring, any trial. A brown draught mare, subject to any trial. At the risk of former purchaser.

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock, at the risk of the former purchaser, Mr. Garnett, A hooded American Queen's phaeton buggy and harness, in good repair.

Serviceable Turnout.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock, A quiet harness horse, double seated buggy, and harness.

2 Fresh Country Horses.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Henry J. Bell, Esq., Clarence River, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock, FORESTER, chestnut gelding, by Jack Spring, a splendid hack and good jumper. SIR RUPERT, bay gelding, 4 years old, by Prince Rupert, dam Sagacity, quiet to ride.

DOUBLE-SEATED ABBOTT BUGGY.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock, A double-seated tray buggy (genuine Abbott) in first-class order, to be sold without reserve.

"HANLAN" and HARNESS HORSE.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, "Hanlan," chestnut gelding, 5 years, 16 hands, by Kelpie, very fast, and a good jumper. He won the Jockey Club Handicap, Prince of Wales Stakes, and Novel Race, at Grafton, and Flying Handicap at Glen Innes, beating a field of fourteen. Thoroughbred mare by Greyskin, by Pattendon, broken to saddle and harness. A very handsome small Timor pony, broken to saddle.

Pair Ponies, Buggy, and Harness.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock, A pair of bay ponies, young, nicely matched, good goers, run splendidly together, and staunch, buggy (by Halley), with hood, pole and shafts complete, and harness. This is a good lot, and worthy of attention.

Two Milch Cows.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from S. M'Minn, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock, 2 splendid cows, with calves at foot; both good milkers. One is as good as ever came to Sydney, and guaranteed to give 18 quarts a day.

To Contractors, Carriers, and others.

20 heavy Draught Colts and Fillies, at Camperdown Yards. On THURSDAY, the 25th instant.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from J. V. Cooper, Esq., Willeroo, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Sale Yards, on THURSDAY, the 25th instant, at 2 o'clock, 20 head of heavy draught colts and fillies, broken and unbroken, by first-class sires, young, and in good condition. Amongst the lot are two first-class hackneys. Mr. Cooper's horses are so well known in this market that the auctioneer deems it quite unnecessary to make any comment.

To private gentlemen and others.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Maurice Lyons, Esq., Elizabeth Bay, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY next, the 25th instant, at 12 o'clock, That well-known pair of very handsome and well-matched brown ponies, together with that elegant Queen's pony carriage, and two sets of pony harness.

These ponies are so well and favourably known in Sydney and suburbs as having been driven by Mrs. Lyons for some years, that the auctioneer considers it only necessary to draw attention to the time of sale, and add that they are being disposed of in consequence of the owner's temporary absence from the colony.

IMPORTANT SALE of Pair of CARRIAGE HORSES, LANDAU and HARNESS, BUGGIES, &c.

To private gentlemen and others.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from James R. Fairfax, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY next, the 26th instant, at 12 o'clock, A handsome, well-matched pair of carriage horses, with good second-hand landau, in capital order, and set of best plated harness. An American buggy, almost new. A colonial built buggy, in good order. Harness, saddles, &c., &c.

SPRING MEETING AUSTRALIAN JOCKEY CLUB.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the secretary of the Australian Jockey Club to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, the 29th instant, at 12 o'clock, The right to entrance gates, booths, stand, &c., for above meeting.

DENT and HOSKIN will sell by auction, at Newtown Railway Station, THIS DAY, at 3, Wood, posts, and rails.

DENT and HOSKIN will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 10, [illegible]

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Auction Sales.

TWO FRESH COUNTRY HORSES.

T. COSGROVE has received instructions from J. C. Turner, Rooty Hill, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, 180, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
2 useful horses broken to saddle and harness.

6 SADDLE AND LIGHT HARNESS HORSES.

T. COSGROVE has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, 180, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
6 saddle and light harness horses, amongst which are some good sorts.

FIRST-CLASS CUT-UNDER DOUBLE-SEATED BUGGY, QUIET BUGGY HORSE and HARNESS.

T. COSGROVE has received instructions from James Stanley, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, 180, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
The above first-class turnout.

PICTON HORSES.

TEN HEAD of HEAVY DRAUGHT and HARNESS HORSES, to be sold
At William Inglis and Co.'s Bazaar, 244, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, the 22nd instant.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from Messrs. C. and H. Dunn, Picton, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, the 23rd instant, at 12 o'clock,
4 HEAVY DRAUGHT HORSES, subject to trial
2 heavy draught colts, handled to lead
1 superior draught filly, by Banker (imp.), dam by Major; she is well worthy the attention of breeders
3 useful harness horses, in fine condition.

Bay Horse, Buggy, and Harness.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from William Pritchard, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
A bay gelding, good in saddle and harness
A buggy and set of harness, an excellent lot.

ILLAWARRA HORSE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
A grand colt, 4 years old, 16 hands, broken to saddle and harness, a fine mover.

QUEANBEYAN HORSES.

10 HEAD OF UNBROKEN HORSES, to be sold at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, 23rd instant.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from Francis Devlin, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, the 23rd instant, at 2 o'clock,
10 head of unbroken horses. Full particulars at sale.

QUEANBEYAN HORSES.

FOUR HEAD OF SUPERIOR HORSES, to be sold at William Inglis and Co.'s Bazaar, 244, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, the 23rd instant.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions from Francis Devlin, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
4 head of well-bred horses, amongst which will be some carriage pairs and first-class harness horses, all in fine condition.

Bay Gelding, Dogcart, and Harness.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
A bay gelding, dogcart, and harness, an excellent lot.

Spring and Pagnel Carts
American and Colonial built Waggons
Buggies, Sociables, and Waggonettes.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Spring and pagnel carts, American and colonial built waggons, buggies, sociables, waggonettes, and skeleton gig.

Horse and Carriage Bazaar, 244, Pitt-street.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, 244, Pitt-street, opposite School of Arts, late Gibson's, and 185, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
Horses, vehicles, &c.; and at Camperdown any afternoon.
The forage of best description, charges moderate, and every attention paid to stock sent in for sale or livery.

DRAUGHT, HARNESS, and LIGHT HORSES, to be sold at WILLIAM INGLIS and CO.'S Bazaar, 244, Pitt-street.

WILLIAM INGLIS and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
6 saddle and harness horses, in good condition.
10 cart horses, subject to trial.

BRUNKER and WOLFE have received instructions from the Hunter River Farmers' Association to sell by auction, at the H. R. N. S. N. Co.'s Wharf, foot of Market-street, THIS DAY, 23rd August, at half-past 10 sharp,
Bales oaten and lucerne hay, in lots to suit purchasers.
Also,
Millet brooms.
Terms, cash.

TOBACCO LEAF.

F. L. BARKER will sell by public auction, at his Produce Stores, Macquarie-place, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 10 o'clock,
Tobacco leaf.

F. L. BARKER will sell by auction, at his Produce Stores, at 10.30, Leather.

LEATHER. LEATHER. LEATHER.

MORT and CO. will sell by public auction, at their Wool Warehouse, Circular Quay, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 10.30 a.m.,
Leather.
Terms, cash.

WEEKLY LEATHER SALE.

MAIDEN, HILL, and CLARK will sell by auction, at their Leather Sale-rooms, Circular Quay, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at half-past 10 o'clock prompt,
Kip, sole, calf, yearling, harness, bag, bridle, basils, &c.
Terms, cash.

Weekly Leather Sale.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN will sell by auction, at their New Produce Stores, Macquarie-place, THIS DAY, Tuesday, 23rd August, at half-past 10 o'clock,
Sole, kip, calf, harness, yearling leather.
Terms, cash.

THIS DAY, 23rd instant, at 10.30 o'clock.

Insolvent Estate of George Weichmann.
Household Furniture and Effects.
Also, under Bill of Sale,
Stock-in-Trade and Machinery of a Tinsmith,
Rollers, Burrs, Anvil, Vice
Guillotine, Hammers, Tools, Bench, &c.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions to sell by auction, on the Premises, Old South Head Road, Paddington,
The above, without reserve.

THIS DAY, 23rd instant, at 11 o'clock.

STOCK-IN-TRADE of GROCERIES, TINWARE, HOLLOWWARE
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, BRUSHWARE
BRASS SCALES and WEIGHTS Show Glasses, Glass Case.
At 12 o'clock,
HORSE, Spring Van, new Spring-cart, and 2 Sets Brass Mounted Harness.
Also, at 2 o'clock sharp,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising
Tables, Couches, Austrian Chairs, Lustres, Oilcloth
Tubular and other Bedsteads, Chests Drawers, Marble Washstand
Kitchen Utensils, Dresser, and Sundries.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions from Mr. William Gard (in consequence of retiring from business) to sell by auction, on the Premises, corner of John and Moncur streets, Woollahra,
The above, without reserve.

WEDNESDAY, August 24, at 11.

NEW SEASON'S GOODS in DRAPERY, Now landing.

SEASONABLE CLOTHING in MEN'S, BOYS', and YOUTHS'.

Clearing Lines BOOTS and SHOES.

JAMES RODD will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street, sharp 11,
DRAPERY, CLOTHING, and BOOTS.
Open stock and packages.

Drapery, 11. Clothing, 12. Boots, 12.30.

FRIDAY, August 26.

Fancy Goods and Cutlery
Roll Gold and Silver Jewellery
New designs Cottage and other Clocks.

JAMES RODD will sell by auction next FRIDAY, at 11,
The above.

STOCK-IN-TRADE OF A BAKER AND CONFECTIONER, IN THE INSOLVENT ESTATE OF S. L. JAMES, 22, FOVEAUX-STREET.

On TUESDAY, 23rd instant, at 11 o'clock.

TATE, BROTHERS, have received instructions from the OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE in the above ESTATE to sell by AUCTION, on the PREMISES, 22, FOVEAUX-STREET, THIS DAY, 23rd instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
THE WHOLE OF THE STOCK-IN-TRADE in the ABOVE ESTATE, consisting of
SHOW GLASSES and CONFECTIONERY, ALL KINDS, &c., &c.
BAKEHOUSE UTENSILS, SCALES and WEIGHTS, &c., &c.

TERMS, CASH. NO RESERVE.

ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION.
THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
at 4, BELGRAVIA-TERRACE, HARRIS-STREET, PYRMONT.
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising,
DRAWING-ROOM Suite, marone rep, 9 pieces
Centre Table, Sideboard, Dining Table, Pier Glasses
ornaments, Lustres, E. P. Ware, Cut Glassware
Carpets, Oilcloth, Matting, Curtains, H. Rugs
Couches, Chairs, Loo and Toilet Tables
Brass and Iron Tubular Bedsteads and Bedding
PAIR WALNUT DUCHESS TABLES
Massive Chests Drawers, Toilet Glasses
Crockery, Cooking, and Kitchen Utensils
WALNUT COTTAGE PIANOFORTE, by Paling and Co.

To Gentlemen Furnishing, Commission Agents, Dealers, &c.

R. J. HUGHES and CO. have received instructions from Mr. Gilbert, to sell by auction, at his residence, Belgravia-terrace, Pyrmont, THIS DAY, at 11,
The whole of his superior furniture, pianoforte, &c.
Without the slightest reserve.
N.B.—The House to LET, apply to auctioneer.

ORDER OF SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 24th. 42 cases London-made furniture and framework, just landed in splendid condition ex MacCallum More, account of Messrs. Cowlishaw, Brothers.

FRIDAY, 26th. DOUBLE and SINGLE 4-POST BEDSTEADS
HALF-TESTER and FRENCH, DOUBLE and SINGLE
Children's Cots, Lath Chairs
Wire Mattresses
LIPSCOMBE'S PATENT FILTERS
IRONMONGERY, B. M. Ware, Tinware
TABLE CUTLERY, ENAMELLED HOLLOWARE
WHITE GRANITE Ware, DINNER SERVICES, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN, AUCTIONEERS, 107, Pitt-street.

WEDNESDAY, 24th AUGUST.

UNRESERVED SALE by AUCTION.

Under instructions from MESSRS. COWLISHAW BROS.

42 CASES LONDON-MADE FURNITURE, FRAMEWORK, &c.

JUST LANDED IN SPLENDID CONDITION.

Ex MacCallum More, from London.

The shipment comprises:—
ELEGANT DRAWING and DINING ROOM SUITES in WALNUT, MAHOGANY Frames, upholstered in Blue, Green, and Crimson Striped Rep, and MOROCCO LEATHER
HANDSOME WALNUT INLAID CHIFFONIERES, M. T., P. G. Back, 3ft. 6in. and 4ft.
Walnut Work Tables, handsomely inlaid
INLAID OVAL LOO TABLES, in mahogany and walnut
Ebonised Tripod Tables
Coffee Tables in Walnut
ENCLOSED CABINET and CHIFFONIER WHATNOTS, inlaid
MAHOGANY PEDESTAL WRITING Tables, 3ft. 6in., 4ft., and 4ft. 6in.
MAHOGANY REGISTERED Ditto, 4ft.
Canterbury Whatnots, in walnut, inlaid
INLAID WALNUT DAVENPORTS
OCCASIONAL and CARD TABLES, in walnut
Walnut Corner and 3-Shelf Whatnots
MUSIC INLAID CABINETS
Morocco Music Stools, in Walnut and Mahogany
HALF-CIRCLE WASHSTANDS, M. T., in Mahogany, Walnut, and Birch
TOILET TABLES in BIRCH, MAHOGANY, and SOLID WALNUT, 3ft, 3ft 6in, and 4ft
PEDESTAL WASHSTANDS, in ditto ditto
Croquet Chairs, in Birch
Library ditto, 2 Steps
EBONIZED FANCY FOLDING CHAIRS, with and without arms and leg rests
BEAUTIFULLY EBONIZED BRACKETS
Bedsteps, in Mahogany, Fluted, O.G., and Serpentine
Towel Rails, in Walnut and Mahogany
HAT STANDS, in MAHOGANY and Oak, Marble Top, and Frame Back, with Brush Box, 3 feet
MAHOGANY and OAK HALL CHAIRS
Hassocks, &c., &c.

FRAMEWORK.
CHAIR FRAMES, in Walnut and Mahogany
COUCH ditto, ditto ditto
RUTLAND and LADIES' CHAIRS, in ditto
HIGH-LOW GERMAN SUITES
COUCH SUITES, 3 pieces
CROMWELL and OCCASIONAL CHAIRS
MUSIC STOOLS and TOWEL RAILS
FOOT STOOLS, SPITTOONS, &c., &c.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Upholsterers, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Hotelkeepers, Brokers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have been favoured with instructions from Messrs. COWLISHAW, BROS., to sell by AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 107, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, 24th AUGUST, at 11 o'clock,
The above SHIPMENT of LONDON-MADE FURNITURE and FRAMEWORK,
the whole of which is of VERY SUPERIOR QUALITY, and, in accordance with the usual custom of the IMPORTERS, will be sold
WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST RESERVE.

CATALOGUES in course of preparation.

ON VIEW on TUESDAY and MORNING of sale.

TERMS LIBERAL AT SALE.

TO SHIPPERS, SHIPOWNERS, MERCHANTS, and OTHERS.

30 TONS (more or less) COPRA.

On account of whom it may concern, with all faults, if any.

For sale by auction, at the Iron Shed, BOND-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, the 24th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

LOUIS COHEN has been instructed to sell by auction, on the premises, as above, on WEDNESDAY next, the 24th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
About 30 tons copra.
more or less damaged,
In bags ready for shipment.
Terms, cash. No reserve.

123 PACKAGES OF ASSORTED GLASSWARE.

Now landing, ex TRAFALGAR, from LONDON,
Under instructions from the consignees,
Messrs. J. B. Cattell and Co.

FOR UNRESERVED SALE.

LOUIS COHEN has been favoured with instructions from the consignees to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 322, George-street, as soon as landed,
123 PACKAGES of WELL-ASSORTED GLASSWARE.

Particulars in future issue.

TUESDAY, 23rd August.

CASES AUSTRIAN FURNITURE.

JUST LANDED, EX TRAFALGAR.

FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

34 CASES BENTWOOD FURNITURE,
J. and J. KOHN MANUFACTURE,
comprising the following numbers:—
14, 17, 18, 11-14, 20, 24.
Chairs, Arm-chairs, and Sofas of each number.

J. LAZARUS and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, WYNYARD-STREET, THIS DAY, 23rd AUGUST, at 11 o'clock precisely,
30 cases best quality Kohn's Austrian furniture.
Terms at sale.

THURSDAY, 25th AUGUST.

BOOTS and SHOES.

J. LAZARUS and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, Wynyard-street, on THURSDAY, 25th instant.
Invoices of the above.

Particulars in Wednesday's issue.

FRIDAY, August 26.

LIGHT FANCY TWEEDS
SINGLE AND DOUBLE MILLED DITTO
BLISS'S CHIPPING NORTON DITTO
LIGHT FANCY DOESKINS
BLUE and BLACK WORSTED COATINGS

FRIDAY, August 26.

12 Cases of the above goods

Just landed ex Garonne.

J. LAZARUS and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, Wynyard-street, on FRIDAY next, August 26,
12 cases of the above new goods.
Terms at sale.

DAY OF SALE.
THURSDAY, 25th INSTANT.

UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION, under instructions from Mr. D. H. DAVIS.

56 CASES very Superior LONDON-MADE FURNITURE, just landed, ex ORONTES, IN SPLENDID CONDITION.

Comprising
HANDSOME DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, in Figured Silk, Reps, &c.
DINING-ROOM SUITES, in Leather, Early English, &c.
TOILETS, Mahogany and Walnut
Sideboards in Mahogany and Oak
CHIFFONIERS, Walnut, 4 feet 6, Plateglass Backs
Bookcases, Mahogany
CANTERBURIES and Chiffoniers, Whatnots, inlaid
WHATNOTS, 4 Tiers, inlaid
CARD TABLES, Beautifully Inlaid Pedestal, &c.
LOO TABLES, Walnut Inlaid Pedestal, &c.
OCCASIONAL TABLES, Oval, &c., Inlaid
Ditto, in Black and Gold
DRAWING-ROOM TABLES covered in Velvet, new design
Office Wash-stands, Oak and Mahogany
TOILETS, Half Rounds
Music Stools
OCTAGON TABLES, in Walnut and Gold, and Black and Gold
Book Shelves
UMBRELLA STANDS and CHAIRS, oak and mahogany
COMMODES, mahogany and walnut
Towel Horses
CROQUET CHAIRS, walnut and birch
Buhlwork Tables
GIPSY TABLES
Davenports—Walnut, beautifully inlaid
DAVENPORT WHATNOTS, ditto ditto
CHIFFONIERS, black and gold, handsomely illuminated.

FRAMEWORK.

DRAWING and DINING ROOM SUITES, early English, and the very newest designs, and of superior manufacture. The attention of the Trade is specially called to this.

STUBBS and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at the ROOMS, on THURSDAY next, the 25th instant, at 11 O'CLOCK PROMPT,
The above shipment of superior furniture, now on view at the Rooms.

CATALOGUES IN PREPARATION.

TERMS LIBERAL. LUNCHEON PROVIDED.

WEDNESDAY, 24th August, at 11 o'clock.

Peach, Apple, Pear, Orange, Lemon, Apricot, and Nectarine Trees, and a choice variety of Flowering Plants and Seeds.

J. W. CAMPER and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, 24th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above variety of fruit trees, pot plants, &c.
Without reserve. Terms, cash.

THIS DAY, Tuesday, 23rd instant, at 11 prompt.

Unreserved sale of BOOTS and SHOES ELASTIC WEBS.

Now landing, ex Garonne.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 11 sharp,
76 packages of boots and shoes, by the popular manufacturers, Benjamin and Co.,
Consisting of
Ladies' levant goat E.S., extra high leg, M.H.
Ditto ditto ditto Garibaldi, ditto
Ditto calf kid E.S., extra high leg, ditto
Ditto ditto ½-Hessian, ditto
Ditto ditto plain and fancy caps, ditto
Ditto lasting E.S., M.H.
Ditto ditto T.P.H., caps and wings
Ditto ditto ½-Hessian, M.H.
Ditto ditto fancy toes
Ditto lasting Victoria shoes, T.P.H., hand sewn
Girls' levant goat E.S., extra high leg, M.H., 11 to 1
Ditto ditto ½-Hessians, ditto ditto
Ditto ditto Garibaldi, ditto ditto
Ditto lasting E.S., ½-Hessians, ditto ditto
Ditto calf kid E.S., ditto, pat. vamps, ditto ditto
Children's levant goat E.S., extra high leg, M.H., 7 to 10
Ditto ditto ½-Hessians, ditto ditto
Ditto ditto Garibaldi, ditto ditto
Ditto lasting E.S., ½-Hessians, ditto ditto
Ditto calf kid E.S., ditto pat. vamps, ditto ditto
Infants' calf kid E.S., ½-Hessians, T.P.H., 5 and 6
Ditto ditto button, extra high leg, ditto ditto
Ditto levant goat E.S., T.P.H., ditto

2 cases elastic webs, comprising—
25 pieces, 4, 4½, and 5-inch, No. 663
25 ditto, ditto ditto ditto, No. 1312
25 ditto, ditto ditto ditto, No. 1348
25 ditto, ditto ditto ditto, No. 1300.

As usual, these goods are for absolute sale, and will be offered precisely at 11.

On THURSDAY NEXT, 25th INSTANT, at 11 Prompt.

WOOLLENS, FLANNELS, BLANKETS
INDIARUBBER BRACES, SHETLAND and BROWN COTTON HALF-HOSE
BROWN COTTON, SHETLAND, and MERINO UNDER-SHIRTS
Ditto, ditto, ditto PANTS
BLACK FRENCH CASHMERES, CRETONNES
BLACK SILK GLOVES
TAPESTRY CARPETS and RUGS, now landing, ex Christiana Thompson.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are instructed by the Consignees to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY Next, at 11 sharp,
Invoices of the above goods, now landing; also, an assortment of other drapery goods, which will be duly advertised.
Terms at sale.

On FRIDAY NEXT, 26th INSTANT, at 11 o'clock Sharp.

50 CASES FANCY SOAPS, now landing ex Christiana Thompson.

For positively unreserved Sale, by Order of the Shippers.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY Next, 26th instant, at 11,
The above.
Terms at sale.

On FRIDAY NEXT, 26th INSTANT, at 11 o'clock.

66 CASES SPONGES, to land ex Christiana Thompson.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are instructed by the Consignees to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY next, at 11,
66 cases sponges, assorted.
Further particulars will be advertised.

On FRIDAY next, 26th instant, at 11.

4 HOGSHEADS ALADDIN HAND and TABLE LAMPS.

On account of the consignees, Ex ——, from New York.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY next, 26th instant, at 11,
4 hogsheads lamps, as above.
Terms at sale.

PRELIMINARY INTIMATION.

IMPORTANT SALE OF FREEHOLD PROPERTY, CONTIGUOUS TO THE ROOTY HILL RAILWAY STATION,
THE PROPERTY OF Dr. CHARLES M'KAY,
HAVING A FRONTAGE TO THE GREAT WESTERN ROAD of ONE AND A HALF MILE,
and to the GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY LINE of NEARLY TWO MILES,
and INCLUDING HIS CELEBRATED VINEYARD at MINCHINBURY,
which block contains an AREA OF TWELVE HUNDRED ACRES,
with the RESIDENCE thereon,
AND
LUCAN PARK
(THE PROPERTY LATELY OWNED by Mrs. CHARLES ROBERTS),
AN IMPROVED ESTATE
COVERING THREE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-ONE ACRES.
ALSO,
ADJOINING THE STATION at ROOTY HILL
(fronting the Railway Line),
SIX HUNDRED ACRES.

On this block, and immediately at the station, is a superior brick-built two-story RESIDENCE, quite new, containing 28 apartments.

ONLY 25 MILES FROM SYDNEY.
THE JOURNEY PER TRAIN OCCUPYING 73 MINUTES.

PLANS OF THIS EXTENSIVE AND VALUABLE ESTATE ARE NOW BEING PREPARED, by Mr. Surveyor Bishop, AND DUE NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN WHEN LITHOGRAPHS WILL BE READY.

TITLE, UNQUESTIONABLE.

THE INSTRUCTIONS OF THE OWNER of this MAGNIFICENT ESTATE are
TO OFFER IT IN ONE OR MORE LOTS,
thus affording
A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY FOR SPECULATORS
for PUBLIC LAND COMPANIES,
for Building Societies,
and for CAPITALISTS
TO INVEST IN A PROPERTY,
the PROSPECTIVE VALUE of which
MUST BE ADMITTED is ENORMOUS.

THE TERMS WILL BE ARRANGED SO AS TO ADMIT of a VERY LARGE PORTION of the PURCHASE MONEY remaining at a LOW RATE OF INTEREST.

In the CELLARS at MINCHINBURY are stored from FORTY TO FIFTY THOUSAND GALLONS OF PURE COLONIAL WINE of various kinds, for the production of which the name of Dr. M'KAY is famous.

This, with the EXTENSIVE PLANT, superior to any other in the colony, may be taken at a valuation.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been favoured with instructions from Dr. Charles M'Kay to sell by public auction (unless previously disposed of by private contract), at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, at an early date, and as soon as arrangements are matured,
The whole of his magnificent landed estates at
MINCHINBURY—1200 acres,
LUCAN PARK—321 acres,
and
ROOTY HILL—600 acres.

Particulars may be learned at the Rooms of the Auctioneers.

LANE COVE.

2 BLOCKS OF LAND, each containing 99 ACRES, situated on the PITT WATER ROAD, in the celebrated ORANGE-GROWING DISTRICT of LANE COVE, clothed with the BEST TIMBER on the North Shore.

The Stoney Creek Road, leading to PITT WATER, with Telegraph Line, passing through the Blocks.

Close to the properties of Messrs. Nancarrow, Brown, and other orange growers, and not far from the proposed RAILWAY LINE from ST. LEONARDS to SINGLETON.

Adjoining this property are several of the most HEALTHY ORANGE GROVES in the PARISH OF GORDON.

only 9 miles from MILSON'S POINT.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been favoured with instructions from Dr. M'Kay to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, at an early date, unless previously disposed of privately,
198 acres of valuable land, as above described, in the parish of Gordon.

Particulars at the Rooms.

DRAPERY and CLOTHING (Hawker's Stock).
17 Packages NEW SPRING GOODS,
Now landing, ex Corona.

KELLETT and ALFORD have instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 134, Pitt-street, THIS DAY,
At 11—Hawker's stock of CLOTHING, DRAPERY, HOSIERY, SHIRTS, BOOTS, &c., &c.
At 11.45, 17 cases and bales new summer goods, comprising TOWELS, QUILTS, LACE CURTAINS, TOILETS, FLAX SHEETINGS, SLATE SILESIANS, HESSIANS, GREY CALICOES, WHITE SHEETINGS, HOSIERY, SHIRTINGS, WHITE CALICOES, BRACES, SCARFS, SILK and CAMBRIC HANDKERCHIEFS, Damasks, Hollands, COLOURED SATTEENS, CASHMERE TWILLS, Table Covers, GRANITE, OXFORD, CRIMEAN and WHITE SHIRTS, MEN'S, BOYS' and YOUTHS' CLOTHING, Hats, &c., &c.

Every line is for unreserved sale.

THIS DAY, at half-past 10 o'clock.
Single Stone and Half-Hoop Diamond Rings
Gold and Silver English Levers, Long Gold Chains
Gold Brooches and Earrings, Bracelets, Necklets, and Lockets, &c.

H. L. DUNN and SON will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 274, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at half-past 10 o'clock, the unredeemed jewellery pawned with Mr. R. D. Miller, of Park-street.

THURSDAY, 25th AUGUST, at 11 a.m., at the AUSTRALIAN AUCTION MART, SPRING and O'CONNELL STREETS.

IMPERATIVE SALE BY AUCTION of a LARGE SHIPMENT OF MERCHANDISE, indented from one of the BEST HOUSES in AMERICA. Ex TWILIGHT, G-A in diamond over S.

724-729— 6 Cases Oil (Sewing-machine)
731-9 —10 ditto ditto (ditto)
108-117— 7 ditto BEST STEEL and HANDLED AXES
684-689— 6 ditto ditto ditto
660-665— 6 ditto FANCY CABINETWARE
625-659—25 ditto No. 6 MILLET BROOMS
10 ditto No. 7 ditto
613-614, 672-682 } 13 ditto LAMPS and BURNERS in GREAT VARIETY
665-671, 683, 690-695 } 13 ditto ditto ditto
696-702— 7 ditto ditto ditto
703-704— 2 ditto Bracket ditto
705-707— 3 ditto LAMPS, Glass Fonts.

Ex J. H. BOWERS, G-A.
11 cases Shoe Polish
1 case COACHMAKERS' VARNISH.
G-A in diamond over S.
608-611— 4 cases BRONZE STATUETTES, comprising FIGURES, GROUPS, ANIMALS; BRONZE PITCHERS, URNS, BUSTS, CARD RECEIVERS, CIGAR LIGHTERS, &c.

TO IRONMONGERS, FANCY WARE SHOPKEEPERS, COACHBUILDERS, BUYERS for the COUNTRY, and OTHERS.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received imperative instructions to sell by auction, at the Australian Mart, Spring and O'Connell streets, on THURSDAY, 25th August, at 11 a.m.,
SEWING-MACHINE OIL, BEST STEEL AXES, FANCY CABINETWARE, BROOMS, LAMPS in great variety, SHOE POLISH, COACHMAKERS' VARNISH, BRONZE STATUETTES, FIGURES, GROUPS, ANIMALS, &c.

124 cases ex Twilight and J. W. Bowers, from NEW YORK.

AUCTIONEERS' NOTICE.

THE DAYS FOR THE SALES BY AUCTION of the MAMMOTH LIBRARY, numbering about 7062 Volumes, have been fixed for TUESDAY, 30th, WEDNESDAY, 31st August; THURSDAY, 1st September, and FRIDAY, 2nd September, commencing at 11 a.m., at THE AUSTRALIAN AUCTION ROOMS, SPRING-STREET.

ON VIEW DAILY, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
INSPECTION INVITED.
Catalogues obtainable at the Rooms.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB, Auctioneers, Valuators, Pianoforte and Furniture Warehousemen, Spring and O'Connell streets.

Preliminary Notice.

THE ROYAL POLYTECHNIC, PITT-STREET.

THIODON'S WONDERS.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from Mr. Thiodon to sell by auction, at the Royal Polytechnic, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 29th August, at 11 a.m., if not previously disposed of by private contract,
The WHOLE of his VALUABLE and INTERESTING collection of WONDERFUL appliances for illustrating the MECHANICAL ARTS and SCIENCES.
Full particulars in another issue.

PRICE and CO. have been instructed by Mrs. Archdale, of Tottenham, near to Messrs. William and George Chasker, of Elder Park, to sell by public auction,
On SATURDAY NEXT, 27th August instant, without reserve,
The whole of her HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS, TABLES, CHAIRS, BEDS, and BEDDING; also, rosewood trichord piano, buggy, spring-cart, and harness, ladies' and gent.'s saddles, buggy horse, saddle mare, blood filly (Winborne), cows and calves, poultry (100 head), fowlhouse (vermin proof), lease and goodwill of farm for 2 years.
Luncheon at 1 o'clock. Sale to commence at 11 a.m. sharp.
Terms cash.

In the Insolvent Estate of James Mather, Sen., of Tinonee, Sawmill Proprietor.

SAMUEL PLUMMER has received instructions from the Official Assignee to sell by auction, on WEDNESDAY, the 31st instant, at the premises, Tinonee, lately occupied by the above insolvent,
103,000 feet mixed timber, more or less
Also, mill plant, &c., &c.

TUESDAY, August 23, at Smith's Wharf, Miller's Point.

1000 Bags New Zealand Oats.

On account of whom it may concern.

Ex BOWEN from Dunedin.

Bulk to be inspected prior [illegible] at Smith's Wharf Stores.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, at Smith's Wharf Stores, Miller's Point, THIS DAY, August 23, at 11 o'clock, on account of whom it may concern,
1000 bags New Zealand oats.
Terms, cash.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24.

COLONIAL SUGARS.

Groceries, Oilmen's Stores, &c.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, August 24th, at 11 o'clock,
Shipments of above.

WEDNESDAY, August 24.

DE ROUBAIX JENAR CANDLES ex Huntington.

Very slightly damaged.

On account of whom it may concern.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, August 24th, at 11 o'clock,
100 boxes Imperial candles.

WEDNESDAY, August 24.

INDIAN TEAS.

To the consignment of Messrs. Caird, Paterson, and Co.

For Positive Sale.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, August 24, at 11 o'clock,
The above.
Full particulars in catalogues.

ON AN EARLY DAY.

Clipper Barque MARY MILDRED, well and favourably known in the intercolonial and China trade. Has a splendid outfit, and ready for sea.

Day of Sale will be fixed on arrival. Now on a voyage to this port.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, on an early day.
The above.

EXTENSIVE SALE of CITY AND SUBURBAN FREEHOLD PROPERTY.

In the Estate of the late Mr. JACOB ISAACS.

By order of the Executors.

To close Partnership Accounts.

Day of Sale, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST, 24th, at the City Mart.

Lot 1. SUSSEX-STREET.—A stone-built store, between Liverpool-street and Goulburn-street, next to Derbyshire Arms, and known as No. 358. This store is admirably adapted for business purposes, having every convenience. Three floors, entrances back and front, and stands on an allotment of land having a frontage of 20 feet to Sussex-street, by a depth of 44 feet on the north side to Victoria-street, to which it has a frontage of 18 feet. The buildings are substantial and central, in a rising neighbourhood.

Lot 2. WADDELL-HILL, PETERSHAM.—2 Allotments, having a frontage of 100 feet to Yule-street, by a depth of 132 feet, being allotments 7 and 19, of section 2, Waddell-hill Estate.

Lot 3. POWELL'S CREEK, Parish of Concord, being portion 152, containing 1 rood and 4 perches, sold as Lot B at Government Land Sale of 30th November, 1877.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, August 24, at 11 o'clock,
The above city and suburban properties.
Full particulars at sale.

TARA STATION, New England District, with 865 HEAD WELL-BRED CATTLE, 9 miles from the town of Bendemeer, and Railway Station at Walcha, containing an estimated area of 22,000 ACRES of FIRST-CLASS GRAZING LAND, and adjoining the noted Surveyor's Creek, Runbanda, and Congi Stations, permanently watered by the M'Donald and Congi Rivers, and heavily grassed.

TO CAPITALISTS, GRAZIERS, and OTHERS.

NATHAN COHEN and CO., of Tamworth, in conjunction with Messrs. Brunker and Wolfe, have received instructions from R. Scholes, Esq., J.P., to sell by auction, at the Hall of Commerce, Sydney,
THIS DAY, August 23, at 12 o'clock,
The well-known TARA STATION, being one of the most compact properties in New England.

With the station will be sold
865 head well-bred cattle
247 acres freehold land
1260 acres c. ps., completed
1920 acres preleased land.

The Working Plant, Bullock Teams, and Working Horses at a valuation.

The improvements consist of a splendid homestead of 8 rooms, outhouses, garden, stables, woolshed, stockyard, &c.

Nearly the whole of the run is fenced and subdivided; a large area has been ringbarked, making one of the most compact properties in the district. The capabilities are 3000 cattle or an equivalent of sheep.

Intending purchasers are invited to inspect the property. Cobb and Co.'s coach leaves Tamworth every day to Bendemeer, which is only 28 miles.

TERMS: Half cash, balance 1, 2, and 3 years at 6 per cent.
The fullest information can be obtained from NATHAN COHEN and CO., Tamworth, or BRUNKER and WOLFE, Sydney and Maitland.

TO CAPITALISTS, GRAZIERS, and OTHERS.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 23, 1881.

LIGHTLY STOCKED CATTLE STATIONS, on WALLAM CREEK, MARANOA DISTRICT, QUEENSLAND, known as ABBEY GLASSIE, HOMBEIN, and BERTFORD STATIONS, comprising 13 BLOCKS, or 450 SQUARE MILES of sound, sparsely timbered country, heavily clothed with grasses and herbage of the richest fattening qualities, intersected by Wallam Creek, and watercourses forming immense deep waterholes, which provide a never-failing supply of water in all seasons.

With the Stations will be sold 8000 HEAD of MIXED CATTLE (more or less), to be mustered and delivered.
A LOT of WELL-BRED HORSES, STORES, and SUNDRIES.

BRUNKER and WOLFE have received instructions from Messrs. A. and E. Holmes, to sell by auction, at the Hall of Commerce, Sydney,
THIS DAY, AUGUST 23, 1881, at 2 o'clock,
The above lightly stocked stations, with stock, as above described.

The Runs are held under lease from the Queensland Government, at a nominal rental, and the country is the pick of the district, the Messrs. Holmes being the earliest pioneers.

The general character of the country consists principally of fine open downs, lightly timbered with box, mulga, myall, saltbush, &c.; is estimated to carry 18,000 head of cattle, or an equivalent number of sheep in all seasons. For the depasturing of sheep the district is well adapted, they having thrived remarkably well; and the adjoining stations are at the present time being stocked with them.

The cattle are especially well bred and quiet, a large proportion of the grown are prime fat, which realise highest prices in the Maitland and other markets to which they have been forwarded.

THE IMPROVEMENTS on the various runs are both extensive and substantial, and consist of DWELLING HOUSES, kitchens, men's huts, stockyards, small and large paddocks, fencing, and every convenience for working the herd.

Full particulars may be had on application to BRUNKER and WOLFE, 279, George-street, Sydney, and West Maitland.

To Capitalists and Others.

Magnificent Fattening Station, adjoining the well-known Properties of Thomas Cook, Esq., and approximate by Millie, Gunan, Bugalbone, and Nowley, acknowledged to be the Richest Plot of Grazing Country in New South Wales, and noted for producing Stock of unexceptionable quality.

THE BURREN STATION, with 6000 head of well-bred Cattle, the choice of 9000 head now depasturing on the station.
2000 First-class Wethers, in good condition
500 Acres of Freehold Land
and all improvements
for Sale by Auction, at the Hall of Commerce, Sydney, TUESDAY, 23rd August, 1881.

Terms.—One-third cash, the balance in equal payments at one, two, and three years, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum.

BRUNKER and WOLFE have received instructions from Messrs. T. and R. Button to sell by auction, at the Hall of Commerce, Sydney, THIS DAY, the 23rd August, 1881, at 2 o'clock,
The well-known Burren station, highly renowned for its fattening capacities, embracing an area of about 117,006 acres of the richest pasture in Australia, together with 6000 head of exceedingly well bred cattle, the pick of 9000
2000 first-class wethers
and
500 acres of freehold land.

The herd is supposed to comprise about 9000 head of cattle; the purchaser will be allowed to take the extra 3000 at a fixed price, or reject them, thus rendering the 6000 sold with the station the pick of the lot.

The country consists of myall and open plains, thinly interspersed with belts of timber, and is permanently watered by Burren and Pian Creeks, and a dam constructed at an immense cost, which throws the water back for about seven miles. These valuable sources have never failed to contribute a continuous supply in all seasons.

The improvements are substantial, and comprise comfortable dwelling house, kitchen, men's huts, horse paddock, and about 55 miles of fencing. The stockyards will work about 4000 head of cattle, are well arranged, substantially built, and admitted to be equal to any in the northern district.

The cattle are especially well bred, have been held in great favour by the trade during the past forty years, and have always realized top market values.

The herd will be mustered and delivered, and instead of aging calves, a fair per centage will be deducted from the total number counted, struck off the purchase money, and delivered to the buyer free of charge.

The Horses, Stores, Working Plant, and sundries shall be taken at a valuation, to be adjusted in the usual manner.

It is impossible, within the precincts of an advertisement, to fully describe the capacities or value of this truly magnificent pastoral property; the Auctioneers therefore invite capitalists in quest of one of the most lucrative Stations in Australia, and adapted for either cattle or sheep, to thoroughly inspect, confident that it cannot fail to meet their unqualified approval, and prove a permanently sound and remunerative investment.

The fullest information will be given on application to BRUNKER and WOLFE, Auctioneers, WEST MAITLAND, AND 279, GEORGE-STREET, SYDNEY.

MAGNIFICENT FATTENING PROPERTY.

The famous MERAH STATION, embracing an area of about 288,160 acres, eligibly situated, and known as one of the most productive fattening properties in the Liverpool Plains district, only moderately stocked with a herd of 10,000 especially well-bred Cattle, and 18,000 Sheep, depasturing in securely fenced paddocks.
And
3650 Acres of C. P. Land.

For SALE by AUCTION, at the Hall of Commerce, Sydney, THIS DAY, 23rd AUGUST, at 2 o'clock,

BRUNKER and WOLFE have received instructions from G. Loder, Esq., to sell by auction, as above,
The well-known fattening station MERAH,
one of the most desirably situated and richest fattening properties in the Northern interior, adapted for either cattle or sheep. Substantially improved and well and permanently watered.

Intending purchasers are invited to inspect the property.

The fullest information will be given upon application to BRUNKER and WOLFE, 279, George-street, Sydney, and West Maitland.

TO CAPITALISTS, GRAZIERS, and OTHERS.

WOLLOMBI! WOLLOMBI!

100 ACRES of RICH GRAZING LAND, situated AT THE WOLLOMBI, FOR SALE BY AUCTION, AT MRS. SMITH'S FAMILY HOTEL, Campbell's Hill, West Maitland, on MONDAY, 29th AUGUST, 1881, at 1 o'clock.

BRUNKER and WOLFE have received instructions from the Executors in the Estate of the late David Dunlop, formerly Police Magistrate of Wollombi, to sell by auction, at Mrs. Smith's Family Hotel, Campbell's Hill, on MONDAY, 29th August, 1881, at 1 o'clock,
The above valuable and desirable block of land, containing 100 acres, more or less, known as Mulla Villa, upon which is erected a comfortable large stone dwelling-house, and recently occupied by the late Eliza Hamilton Dunlop, containing four large rooms and a spacious hall; cellars and outhouses, all of stone.
The site commands a magnificent view, and is in a most healthy situation, about a mile from the township, on the Sydney Road.

Terms:—One-fourth cash; the balance at six, twelve, eighteen, and twenty-four months; interest at 5 per cent. per annum.

TO LARGE AND SMALL CAPITALISTS AND OTHERS.

THE GRANDEST PASTORAL PROPERTY in NEW SOUTH WALES, abounding with soil of the richest description, embracing a large area adapted for AGRICULTURAL PURPOSES, and of the MOST PRODUCTIVE CHARACTER, adjoining the TOWN OF SCONE, about a mile from the railway station,
Bounded by TURANVILLE, the famous Estate of T. COOK, Esq., and ST. AUBINS, belonging to the estate of the late W. A. DUMARESQ, Esq., the whole being richly grassed and permanently watered in all seasons from never-failing sources, and containing
10,000 ACRES (more or less) of MAGNIFICENT LAND,
fenced, and subdivided into well-arranged paddocks.
THE HOMESTEAD is delightfully situated, replete in its surroundings, and provided with every convenience essential in a Gentleman's Family Residence,
now in the occupation of Messrs. F. and E. PARBURY,
and known as "THE INVERMEIN ESTATE,"
For SALE by auction, at BROWN'S HOTEL, West Maitland, on TUESDAY, the 30th AUGUST, 1881.

TITLE UNQUESTIONABLE.

TERMS: One-fourth cash; the balance in equal payments at one, two, three, and four years, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, secured by mortgage over the property in the usual manner.

BRUNKER and WOLFE have received instructions to sell by auction, at Brown's Hotel, West Maitland, on TUESDAY, the 30th August, 1881,
THE FAMOUS INVERMEIN ESTATE, abounding with a large area of Cultivation Land, equal to the rich Flats on the Lower Hunter, and within a mile of the Railway Station.

This truly productive and eligibly situated property will be submitted in convenient sized lots, thus affording to small capitalists an opportunity to secure desirable homesteads with an increasing prospective value, and such as cannot fail to prove sound and permanently remunerative investments.

Further particulars will appear in future issues of the Maitland Mercury and Sydney Morning Herald, and the Auctioneers will gladly afford the fullest information upon application at their Offices, High-street, West Maitland; or, 279, George-street, Sydney.

FRAUD.—J. S. ABRAHAM'S PILLS (Dandelion) are imitated. Look to the name.

TUESDAY, 23rd August, 1881.

"GULLENDADDY."
LIVERPOOL PLAINS DISTRICT, NEW SOUTH WALES, known as the property of Messrs. Clark, Brothers.

WILKINSON, GRAVES, and LAVENDER (in conjunction with Sullivan and Simpson) have been favoured with instructions by the owners to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the EXCHANGE ROOMS, SYDNEY, THIS DAY, the 23rd AUGUST, at 2.30 p.m. sharp,
THE GULLENDADDY PROPERTY,
Comprising about 32,000 acres of well-chosen freehold land, together with about 120,000 acres of leasehold land, the whole being of immense carrying capacity; whilst for fattening and wool-growing properties it has no superior.

The RUN has 20 miles frontage to both sides of the far-famed Cox's Creek, also 16 large dams, 5 tanks, and 9 wells, thus being splendidly watered.

The fencing is chiefly post and rail and five wires, and is of the most substantial and costly description.

The subdivisions number 24 paddocks in all.

The Homestead, together with all its perfect surroundings, is complete. The outstations, classing yards, drafting yards, &c., are most judiciously planned and placed.

Water is raised from the wells (when they require to be used) by steam power, by windmills and by whims. In fact, nothing remains to be done tending to the efficient and most economical working of the property, which is at present very lightly stocked with about 51,600 highly superior sheep, bred with care and judgment for many years, and of the following approximate ages and sexes, as under:—
6,373 ewe hoggets
5,417 two-year-old ewes with lambs at foot, or to lamb in September and October
3,813 three-year-old ewes, ditto, ditto
10,005 four, five, and some six years old ditto, ditto, ditto
1,200 aged ewes (dry) fattening
6,373 wether hoggets
6,889 two-year-old wethers
5,595 three-year-old wethers
4,805 full-mouthed wethers (fat or fattening)
646 rams of Tasmanian, Cox, and Bayly blood.

Total 51,197, all of which are station-bred, with the exception of 4805 full-mouthed wethers and the rams.

The Herd will be removed, save 10 milking cows and one Lee bred bull; and seeing that the cattle paddocks now embrace an area of fully 30,000 acres, the removal of the herd will add very largely to the sheep-carrying capacity of this splendid leasehold.

46 Horses, of which the greater number are by the imported thoroughbred Protector and the Tocal bred sire Gohanna out of good mares, together with a very large and complete working Plant, will be given in; also the Station Stores and Household Furniture, excepting books, plate, pictures, carriages, carriage harness, and personal effects.

The whole property will be sold in one lot, and the biddings will be at a lump sum.

20s per head will be allowed by the Vendors for any balance of Sheep delivered short of 51,000.

The exact area of the Freehold as set forth in the Conditions of Sale will also be guaranteed and the title deeds duly transferred.

Shearing is to begin on the 22nd inst., and the clip (less the shearing expenses) will become the property of the buyer.

TERMS cash, or one-third cash, and balance at 1, 2, and 3 years, at 6 per cent. interest.

This Magnificent Estate is about 20 miles from the present Terminus of the Great North-Western Railway (Gunnedah), and 10 miles from the Railway Station now in course of construction at Boggabri.

Maps are being prepared, and inspection is invited.

For further particulars and letters to inspect apply to either of the above agents,
WILKINSON, GRAVES, and LAVENDER, or to SULLIVAN and SIMPSON.

WEDNESDAY, 24th AUGUST, 1881.

Bona-fide Sale of Grand Squatting Property,
GLENARIFF STATION,
Warrego District of N. S. W.,
adjoining the north boundary of the Wellington District.

WILKINSON, GRAVES, and LAVENDER (in conjunction with Messrs. Griffiths and Weaver, Sydney, and Messrs. R. Goldsbrough and Co., Melbourne) have received instructions from
Messrs. JONES and RUSSELL
to sell by auction, at the Exchange, Sydney,
WEDNESDAY, August 24th, 1881, at 2.30 p.m., prompt,
Their very extensive and elaborately improved station GLENARIFF,
containing about 320,000 acres of first-class woolgrowing and fattening country, admitted to be at least equal in quality to any station in the far-famed Riverina district.

With the station will be sold the following sheep:—
About 23,850 ewes, 4-tooths } with lambs at foot.
" 8850 ewes
" 1000 Yanko stud ewes, pure Ercildoune
" 5500 young ewes not in lamb
" 19,500 hoggets, mixed sexes, with 15 months' wool on
" 5000 fat wedders
" 15,000 wedders, 2 to 8 tooth
" 854 choice rams
80,854 (more or less).

All the sheep will be delivered with full fleeces.
CATTLE.—About 250 head.
Extensive plant, horses, stores, shearing supplies, &c.

This property lies about 75 miles N. W. of Cannonbar, and 15 miles west of the Bogan River, and is only 180 miles from the Dubbo railway terminus, and the railway which is now being extended towards Bourke will skirt the station.

The whole run is well and permanently watered, artificially, by upwards of 30 large tanks and dams, and 2 wells.

300 miles of newly-erected superior wire fences enclose and subdivide the whole station into 28 sheep and cattle proof paddocks.

The other IMPROVEMENTS include complete homestead establishment, large and well-finished woolshed, numerous outstations, &c., &c.

All the buildings, being newly erected, are well and substantially built, and mostly roofed with galvanized iron.

This is, without exception, one of the most extensive and valuable properties brought into the market for some time past. It is offered on the most advantageous terms, as the shearing will commence on September 1; so that THE BUYER WILL AT ONCE RECEIVE THE RETURN FROM THE CLIP OFF SOME 80,000 GROWN SHEEP AND 30,000 LAMBS.

The Agents will, on application, forward a descriptive Pamphlet and Lithographic Plan of the Station.

TERMS OF SALE: Third cash; balance, 1, 2, 3 years, at 6 per cent.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

VALUABLE FATTENING STATION PROPERTIES, Liverpool Plains District.

On the Namoi River.

Drildool Station, comprising the blocks or runs, Drildool, Cubbewa, and Dead Bullock Warrambool, of an estimated area of 115,500 acres, with about 4000 fat and fattening cattle and 60 acres purchased land. This run is all fenced and otherwise highly improved.

On the Barwon River and Thalaba Creek.

Pokataroo and Oreel Stations, comprising the blocks—Pokataroo, Behind Pokataroo, North Oreel, South Oreel, Merrywinebone, Back South Oreel, and Back South Merrywinebone, of an estimated area of 350,000 acres, together with about 14,000 cattle, 3000 sheep, and 1200 acres purchased land.

PITT, SON, and BADGERY have received instructions from Thos. Cook, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Exchange, Sydney, THIS DAY, 23rd August, at 2 o'clock,
The above magnificent pastoral properties.

Drildool is situated on the Namoi River, 12 miles from Pilliga, and 30 miles below Wee Waa. It has a frontage of about 18 miles to the Namoi River, and is well watered on the back by numerous lagoons and watercourses. The country is of the richest fattening description. The frontage to the Namoi is liable to floods, but the whole of the back consists of extensive plains, with here and there belts of timber, and is admirably adapted for either sheep or cattle.

The improvements consist of boundary fence on three sides by 45 miles of fencing, viz., two sides by three wires and one side by two rails and one wire; the Namoi River forms the other boundary. The run is also subdivided by a substantial three-wire fence.

There is a dwelling-house, containing six rooms, together with men's quarters, outhouses, &c. Also, good stock-yard, capable of holding and working the herd; branding-yard, covered with galvanised iron; house, killing and milking yards, good house, paddocks, &c.

The cattle number about 6000 head, about one-third of which are cows and the balance bullocks and nearly all over 3 years. They are a picked lot all through, and half could be turned off as fat by the end of the year. At present there are several drafts of splendid fat cattle ready for market.

Drildool Station would make a grand sheep run, and the purchaser might safely count on being able to put on 30,000 sheep by the end of the year, without interfering with the cattle then remaining on it.

POKATAROO and OREEL STATIONS are situate some 30 miles north of Drildool, and form a large compact block of most magnificent country, certainly not more than two-thirds stocked. They have about 15 miles frontage to the Barwon River, about the same to the Mehi, and about 35 miles to both sides of the Thalaba Creek, besides numerous creeks and watercourses.

The country requires but little comment, as it has always been admitted to be the best on the Barwon, and unsurpassed in New South Wales. It could be turned into sheep at once, as by putting a few overshot dams in the Thalaba Creek, there would be ample room on the east end of Oreel for 60,000 sheep, without interfering with the cattle in any way. The season also being a splendid one, and a fair proportion of the cattle being of marketable age, a large number could be turned off as fat during the next few months.

The runs, with the exception of a few miles, are all fenced, partly sheep proof, and it would not require a large outlay to turn out the sheep mentioned above. There are good comfortable homesteads, both at Pokataroo and Oreel, with all necessary huts, yards, paddocks, &c., for the efficient working of the stations.

The cattle are a splendid lot, having been carefully and heavily culled for many years past, and the JBO brand is one of the best known in the Sydney market.

Terms:
One-third cash, the balance in one, two, three, and four years, with interest at 6 per cent.

In submitting these valuable stations for public competition, the auctioneers would strongly advise intending buyers to go and inspect for themselves, for there is no doubt of the fact that they can be converted into sheep stations very rapidly, and the cattle, or at least the greater portion of them, worked off as fat during the next 18 months, added to which the owner has determined on selling and taking a trip to the old country.

Plans, lithographs, and any further particulars can be had on application to the agents,
PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Sydney.

VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY.

PROPERTY SALE ROOMS, 113, Pitt-street.

PALMER and THOMPSON have RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS from Mr. JOHN STUART, of MARRICKVILLE, to SELL by PUBLIC AUCTION, at THEIR ROOMS, on WEDNESDAY, 31st AUGUST, at 11.30 O'CLOCK,
A VALUABLE BLOCK of CITY PROPERTY, HAVING a FRONTAGE of 40 FEET 6 INCHES to CLARENCE-STREET, by a DEPTH of 74 FEET 9 INCHES, adjoining the PROPERTY of MESSRS. MASON, BROTHERS ON ONE SIDE, with the RIGHT of HALF THEIR WALL from BACK to FRONT, and the PROPERTY of the HON. JOHN FRAZER on the OTHER side.

TORRENS' TITLE.
FULL PARTICULARS at the ROOMS of PALMER and THOMPSON, AUCTIONEERS, 113, PITT-STREET.

PETERSHAM, CLOSE TO STATION.
A Magnificent Allotment, corner block, 97 feet frontage to Audsley-street, by 115 feet to Chester-street.

J. R. HAMILTON, Auctioneer, 188, Pitt-street, will sell by public auction, ON THE GROUND, on SATURDAY first, the 27th August,
97 feet to Audsley-street, by 115 feet to Chester-street, Petersham, splendid view, good position, trenched and fenced. For positive sale.

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Auction Sales.

COOGEE BAY. COOGEE BAY.

On the HEIGHTS,

FRONTING ARDEN and ALEXANDER STREETS, and OVERLOOKING the OCEAN.

THIS MAGNIFICENT BLOCK of LAND, having 150 feet frontage to ARDEN-STREET, and 150 feet frontage to ALEXANDER-STREET, by the grand depth of 280 feet, consisting of LOTS 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, and 21 of subdivision as per PLAN, within a stone's throw of the OCEAN, over which it COMMANDS UNRIVALLED VIEWS, near the 'BUS stand, the COOGEE BAY HOTEL, and the TEA GARDENS, is now placed in the OPEN MARKET for BONA-FIDE SALE, and as such is well worth the attention of all those desirous of purchasing a BLOCK of LAND suitable for a GENTLEMAN'S MARINE RESIDENCE, or as an INVESTMENT in a rapidly increasing neighbourhood.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the LAND SALE ROOMS, 88, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 1st SEPTEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.,

☞ The above in every way DESIRABLE BLOCK of LAND. TITLE, TORRENS'. EASY TERMS.

PLAN on view at the ROOMS.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES.

REGENT'S PARK. ROOKWOOD.

LOTS 9 and 10, SECTION 6, each having 66 FEET FRONTAGE to PARK ROAD (66 feet wide), by 265 feet deep; and Lots 31 and 32, at rear of above, having a SIMILAR FRONTAGE to REGENT-STREET, by 295 feet deep, thus making a FINE BLOCK having a DOUBLE FRONTAGE to 2 STREETS, each 66 feet wide by over 590 feet in depth. ☞ SITE, SOIL, and SITUATION unequalled.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES will sell the above by auction, at the Land Sale Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 1st SEPTEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.

TITLE TORRENS. TERMS EASY (at Sale).

PLAN at the ROOMS of BATT, RODD, and PURVES.

SUMMER HILL. SUMMER HILL.

"UNDERWOOD ESTATE."

Within 100 YARDS of the STATION.

1 NEW COTTAGES, each containing 3 good rooms, 12 feet square, hall, front verandah, good yard, &c., WELL BUILT of brick on stone, with hip iron roofs, each let at 10s per week. The LAND has 33 feet FRONTAGE to FLEET-STREET by 60 feet in depth. The PROPERTY is NEW in a FIRST-CLASS POSITION, and returns a SPLENDID INTEREST.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Land SALE ROOMS, 88, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, the 1st SEPTEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.

TITLE, TORRENS'. EASY TERMS (at sale). BATT, RODD, and PURVES.

☞ BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

ALFRED PARK. ALFRED PARK. PENRITH. PENRITH.

Containing an AREA of 308 ACRES of RICH AGRICULTURAL LAND, together with GOOD HOMESTEAD thereon.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions from the MORTGAGEE to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION at the LAND SALE ROOMS, 88, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1st, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above VALUABLE ESTATE, WELL FENCED, CLEARED, and DIVIDED into PADDOCKS, together with all IMPROVEMENTS thereon.

TITLE, FREEHOLD. TERMS AT SALE.

ALL PARTICULARS FROM Mr. A. COLLESS, Auctioneer, Penrith; or from BATT, RODD, and PURVES.

BANKSTOWN, BANKSTOWN, about 3 MILES of the ROOKWOOD STATION.

☞ COMPACT FARM LOT, in area 26 ACRES, of which 15 ACRES have been CLEARED. The WHOLE is fenced, divided into PADDOCKS, and consists of, without exaggeration, some of the RICHEST SOIL in the whole of the county of CUMBERLAND. ☞ ALL GOOD ORANGE LAND.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES will sell the above by AUCTION, at the LAND SALE ROOMS, 88, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, the 1st SEPTEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.

TITLE GOOD, FREEHOLD. EASY TERMS.

PLAN at the ROOMS. BATT, RODD, and PURVES.

"ST. JOHN'S WOOD," ROOKWOOD.

ALLOTMENT No. 8, SECTION 1, having 66 feet frontage to RAGLAN-STREET, by 200 feet. GOOD SOIL, GOOD VIEWS, GOOD ELEVATION, and opposite a RESERVE.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell the above, at the LAND SALE ROOMS, 88, PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, the 1st SEPTEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.

TITLE, FREEHOLD. EASY TERMS. SEE PLAN. BATT, RODD, and PURVES.

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OVERLOOKING THE OCEAN.

SPLENDID BLOCK of LAND, having 44 feet frontage to O'BRIEN-STREET (66 feet wide), 40 feet to HALL-STREET (66 feet wide), by the fine depth of 2?5 feet 8 inches on one side and 210 feet 11 inches on the other, situate just off the WAVERLEY ROAD, and being lot 1, section 4, of the KING KING ESTATE.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES will sell the above by auction, at their LAND SALE ROOMS, 88, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 1st SEPTEMBER, at 11.30 a.m.

TITLE TORRENS. EASY TERMS.

PLAN at the ROOMS. BATT, RODD, and PURVES.

RAIN.—RILEY, BROTHERS for UMBRELLAS, MACINTOSHES, LEGGINGS, and OVERCOATS.

PRELIMINARY ADVERTISEMENT.

FIRST-CLASS SALTBUSH COUNTRY, WARREGO DISTRICT.

The BYEROCK STATION, with about 12,?00 Sheep and about 200 Cattle.

MORT and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction at their WOOL WAREHOUSE, CIRCULAR QUAY, SYDNEY, on TUESDAY, the 20th September, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

The BYEROCK STATION, consisting of about 128 SQUARE MILES of REALLY GOOD COUNTRY, LIGHTLY TIMBERED, WELL GRASSED, and ABUNDANTLY WATERED by TANKS and WELLS.

With the station will be sold about 12,?00 sheep, comprising some 4000 ewes in lamb, and about 2500 wethers, now fat. Also, about 200 head of QUIET DAIRY CATTLE, all young, with about 20 calves; besides 16 working bullocks and waggon, and 18 working horses.

The IMPROVEMENTS consist of HOMESTEAD, surrounded by VEGETABLE and FLOWER GARDENS, WOOLSHED for 12 shearers, fitted with Whiting's press; FIVE paddocks, comprising 42,750 ACRES, FENCED with SIX WIRES; about 30,000 yards of tank excavation in various parts of the run, STOCK YARDS and drafting yards, overseer's cottage, and necessary huts and outbuildings.

For further particulars apply to MORT and CO., Sydney.

TUESDAY, 23rd AUGUST, 1881.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

That Magnificent, Pastoral, and Agricultural Freehold Property known as ORETI STATION.

MESSRS. MACDERMOTT, BROTHERS, and SCARR, in conjunction with WILKINSON, GRAVES, and LAVENDER, have received instructions from the owner to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the EXCHANGE ROOMS, SYDNEY, at noon, THIS DAY, the 23rd August,

That well-known fattening estate ORETI, near GLADSTONE, QUEENSLAND, comprising 7120 acres of Freehold land. Title under the Real Property Act.

The Estate is well and permanently watered, and fenced, and subdivided by stout post and two rail fencing.

THE IMPROVEMENTS consist of a good House (furnished), kitchen, stock yards, stables, and other outhouses, in complete order.

ORETI is one of the best fattening Estates on the coast of Queensland, has the advantage of a beautiful climate, and commands good markets for fat stock.

WITH THE PROPERTY will be sold about 700 head of well-bred cattle, principally fat and fattening bullocks.

Inspection is invited.

Further particulars on application to the Agents.

N.B.—The Auctioneers would direct the special attention to this valuable Property, of persons desirous of embarking in Pastoral and Grazing pursuits; also of those in want of a first-class fattening depot.

MILSON'S POINT, NORTH SHORE.

SHOP, occupied by Mr. HEAVEN, and large BLOCK OF LAND, MILSON'S POINT ROAD, in the very centre of the BUSINESS part of ST. LEONARDS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street,

FRIDAY, 9th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock.

MILSON'S POINT, NORTH SHORE.

That SPLENDIDLY SITUATED BLOCK OF BUILDING LAND on the MAIN MILSON'S POINT ROAD, about 4 minutes' walk from the steamers' wharf.

It has 69½ feet frontage to Milson's Point Road, with a depth of 96 feet on one side and 97 feet on the other.

On portion of the frontage is erected a shop, now in the occupation of Mr. HEAVEN.

☞ A splendid block of land for business premises in the best position on the main Main Milson's Point Road.

A plan is on view, and all particulars can be obtained at the Rooms.

Terms at sale.

BENNETT'S ESTATE PROPERTIES, in WOOLLOOMOOLOO, SURRY HILLS, and GLEBE,

For AUCTION SALE, At the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY NEXT, 26th instant, at half-past 11 o'clock prompt.

☞ For further particulars see yesterday's Herald.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH.

CITY LAND.

To MERCHANTS, WOOLBROKERS, CAPITALISTS, and Others.

That VERY VALUABLE, EXTENSIVE, and CENTRALLY SITUATED CORNER BLOCK of CITY BUILDING LAND, having frontages to BRIDGE and CASTLEREAGH STREETS, close to the EXCHANGE, and all the principal WOOL and PRODUCE BROKERS' WAREHOUSES, the SHIPPING at CIRCULAR QUAY, and directly opposite that splendid pile of GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS now rapidly approaching completion for the DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC LANDS

TITLE UNQUESTIONABLE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street,

On FRIDAY, 26th AUGUST, at 11 o'clock,

The abovementioned very valuable parcel of CITY FREEHOLD LAND, situated as above described, at the corner of BRIDGE and CASTLEREAGH STREETS, and only separated from ELIZABETH-STREET by the RESIDENCE of Dr. Kichler.

This extensive unimproved CITY FREEHOLD has the following important frontages, viz.:—
119 feet to Bridge-street
73 feet 1 inch to Castlereagh-street and
100 feet 6 inches to a wide lane,
extending from Castlereagh to Elizabeth streets, thus forming one of the largest blocks of vacant city land to be obtained in the MOST IMPORTANT and CENTRAL BUSINESS LOCALITY, having ACCESS on THREE SIDES to TWO LEADING STREETS and a wide lane, and admirably adapted for the erection of FIRST-CLASS STORES in connection with the WOOL TRADE, for sale and export of this great staple commodity, or other BUSINESS requiring an abundant distribution of light.

Plan on view at the Rooms. TERMS LIBERAL AT SALE.

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY, Sydney to Newcastle.

TO CAPITALISTS, SPECULATORS, and OTHERS.

SARATOGA ESTATE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the ROOMS, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 26th AUGUST at 11 o'clock, THE SARATOGA ESTATE, 300 acres of land, subdivided into 6 LOTS of 50 ACRES EACH.

☞ This ESTATE is close to Brisbane Water, adjoins the town boundary of GOSFORD, and fronts the MAIN ROAD from Gosford to Sydney.

The RAILWAY LINE from HOMEBUSH to WARATAH (for the construction of which the money has been voted by Parliament) is surveyed through the land.

Most of the land is rich agricultural soil, well timbered with oak, mahogany, red gum, &c., and very suitable for orangeries, &c.

The view from portion of the property is grand, embracing Gosford, Brisbane Water, the Hawkesbury Ranges, the ocean, &c.

Good blocks of land for future subdivision.

Terms at sale.

Plan of subdivision on view at the Rooms.

By ORDER of the EXECUTORS of the late T. W. SMART, Esq.

MAGNIFICENT BLOCK of LAND, area 6½ ACRES, at DARLING POINT, on the main DARLING POINT ROAD, between the well-known properties of A. H. M'CULLOCH, Esq., M.P., and W. PLUNKETT, Esq., J.P., and opposite the residence of J. S. MITCHELL, Esq., and HENRY MORT, Esq.

Preliminary Notice.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 2nd SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock.

The above, full particulars of which will shortly be published.

Terms, liberal, at sale.

TO CLOSE A PARTNERSHIP ACCOUNT.

SUBURBAN SITES.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 2nd September, at 11 o'clock,

The following Suburban Lands:—

UNDERWOOD ESTATE, SUMMER HILL, 1st Subdivision.
Lot 1, Section 1. Grand corner block, PARRAMATTA ROAD and LIVERPOOL ROAD, opposite BOYLSON'S ESTABLISHMENT.
Lot 25, Section 3, at the CORNER of LIVERPOOL ROAD and GROSVENOR-TERRACE.

ANDREAS ESTATE, PETERSHAM.
Lot 11, Section 1, fronting Andreas-street, near Palace-street
Lots 1 and 2, Section 2, at the corner of Parramatta Road and Andreas-street
Lot 4, 15, and 16, section 2. Andreas and Station streets.

CROYDON PARK ESTATE.
Lot 11, Section 2, fronting the AVENUE. This site is cleared and fenced.

ASHFIELD.
ALLOTMENT of Land in HOLDEN-STREET, adjoining the School of Arts.

Further particulars will shortly be published.
Plans of position on view at the Rooms.
Terms at sale.

WAVERLEY.

In the Estate of the late Mr. W. BRITTEN.

TWO NEATLY-DESIGNED TWO-STORY HOUSES on the Main Road, southern side, close to COWPER-STREET, and now occupied by the ENGLISH, SCOTTISH, and AUSTRALIAN CHARTERED BANK.

2-Story Weatherboard Dwelling House at the rear fronting Spring (late Broom) street.

Allotment 10, section B, Birch Estate, having 40 feet frontage to Spring-street, with 150 depth, fenced in

Allotment 19, same section and estate, having 40 feet frontage to Smithers-street, with 160 feet depth, fenced in.

SOLICITOR to Estate—GEORGE J. SLY, Esq., Wentworth Court, Elizabeth-street.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 2nd SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,

NO. 1.—Lot 18, section M, BIRCH ESTATE, Waverley, having 33 feet 1 inch frontage to the main SOUTH HEAD ROAD, with a depth of 130 feet, extending to SPRING (late Broom) street, to which it has also 33 feet frontage, on which is erected

(FRONTING MAIN ROAD)

2 two-story neat dwelling-houses, brick built on stone foundations, slate roof, verandah back and front, and balcony, each containing hall, 5 rooms and kitchen, with good yards, and stable at rear of one. Gas is laid on. These are fast (?) constructed premises, both occupied by the E. S. and A. C. BANK, at a rental of £?? per annum, and are finished throughout with cedar.

Fronting SPRING (late Broom) street.

A neat, well-built weatherboard 2-story Dwelling House containing 4 rooms; let at 12s per week.

LOT 2.—No. 10, section B, 40 feet Spring-street, depth 150 feet, fenced in

LOT 3.—No. 19, section B, 40 feet Smithers-street, depth 160 feet, fenced in.

. The above house property, on the main road, fronts the tramway, and is in the heart of the business centre of the rapidly-increasing popular suburb of Waverley, where values of property must enhance highly before long. The buildings will bear close inspection.

The allotments are conveniently situated, and very eligible for dwellings, which would command tenants.

TERMS AT SALE.

CAMBRIDGE-TERRACE, opposite THE RESERVE and VICTORIA PARK, NEWTOWN ROAD.

TWO FAVOURABLY situated and very tastefully finished THREE STORY FAMILY RESIDENCES Nos. 88 and 90, NEWTOWN OLD ROAD, opposite the RESERVE and overlooking VICTORIA PARK.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 2nd September, at 11 o'clock.

All that piece of land, having 40 FEET frontage to the NEWTOWN ROAD, with a depth of 114 feet extending to a lane at the rear, upon which are erected CAMBRIDGE-TERRACE, Nos. 88 and 90, Newtown Old Road, TWO FAMILY RESIDENCES, built of brick on stone foundations, with verandahs and balconies in front and containing each hall, 8 rooms, kitchen with cooking range, bathroom fitted with bath, laundry; also, detached wooden stable, large paved yard, &c., at the rear.

The gas and water are laid on to the houses both up and down stairs, and the whole of the gas fittings, chandeliers, and brackets will go with the property.

☞ These are two of the best dwelling-houses in this favourite locality. They have every family convenience, are substantially built, in good order throughout, and the internal fittings are principally of cedar.

Along the street frontage to each is a parapet wall and ornamental iron railing, with nicely arranged garden plot in front.

The situation is all that can be desired—ELEVATED, and the permanent advantage of having a RESERVE and VICTORIA PARK in front.

CARDS to view at the Rooms. Terms liberal at sale.

WEDNESDAY, 24th AUGUST.

ORDER OF SALE OF SUNDRY PROPERTIES to be sold by public auction, at the Property Sale Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 24th AUGUST.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

CITY PROPERTY, Phillip-street.	BLOCK of LAND, having 70 feet 6 inches frontage to PHILLIP-STREET, by a depth of 120 feet, near to STARKEY'S MINERAL WATERS FACTORY.
SURRY HILLS, Upper Dowling-street.	THREE HOUSES, Nos. 363, 365, and 367, ASTOR-TERRACE, each containing 5 rooms, kitchen, bath, &c., situate close to HANNON-STREET.
FOREST LODGE, Hereford-street.	5 ALLOTMENTS of LAND, each having a frontage of 20 feet, and being lots 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17, of YORK'S SUBDIVISION.
NEWTOWN, Thurnby Estate.	TWO ALLOTMENTS OF LAND, being lots 3 and 4 of the THURNBY ESTATE, having a frontage of 60 feet 1 inch to TRAFALGAR-STREET, as per plan at the Rooms.
PETERSHAM, PARRAMATTA RD.	BUTCHER'S SHOP and DWELLING, built of brick on stone, containing five rooms, kitchen, washhouse, with stables, &c.; the land has a frontage of 40 feet to PARRAMATTA ROAD.
BURWOOD, Rosedale Estate.	55½ ACRES, situate opposite CROYDON PARK, commanding large frontages BURWOOD ROAD, GEORGE'S RIVER ROAD, and COOK'S RIVER.
BURWOOD.	TWO ALLOTMENTS fronting RIVER VIEW-TERRACE, and FIVE ALLOTMENTS, fronting JOHN-STREET, situate close to Mr. MARSDEN'S, and opposite Mr. TEBBUTT'S, as per plan at the Rooms.
ROUSE HILL.	29 ACRES of well-grassed Land, situate off the WINDSOR ROAD, within a convenient distance of the RIVERSTONE STATION.
EMU PLAINS, NEAR PENRITH.	ABOUT 75 ACRES of Land, commanding good frontages to the NEPEAN RIVER, subdivided into 9 LARGE BLOCKS, as per plan, on view at the Rooms.
CANTERBURY.	BLOCK of LAND, containing an area of 50 ACRES, parish of St. George, adjoining Quigg's.
LAKE MACQUARIE.	THE LOCHABER ESTATE of 100 ACRES of Land, subdivided in acre and half-acre Blocks, as per plan at the Rooms.
ENFIELD, Minna Rosa Estate.	BLOCK OF LAND, in area about 3 chains by 5 chains, with frontage to PROSPECT PLACE, and adjoining WYMNSTAY.
BALMAIN, CURTIS ROAD.	TWO W.B. COTTAGES, situate fronting CURTIS ROAD, each containing 3 rooms, &c., &c. Also 2 corner Sites, each having a frontage of about 34 feet to CURTIS ROAD, about 3 minutes' walk from the DOCK FERRY.
BALMAIN, DARLING ROAD.	A BLOCK OF LAND, having a frontage of 33 feet by a depth of about 100 feet, situate nearly opposite the TOWN HALL.
REDMYRE.	FOUR ALLOTMENTS OF LAND, being Lots 7, 8, 14, and 15 of the WOOD GREEN ESTATE, each having a frontage of 50 feet by a depth of 167 feet.
CHIPPENDALE, Henrietta-street.	BRICK COTTAGE, SITUATE in HENRIETTA-STREET, containing 3 rooms, &c., occupied by Mrs. Fairnham, and situate within a few yards of WATERLOO-PLACE.
CAMPERDOWN, Purkis-street.	W.B. COTTAGE and COMMODIOUS OUTBUILDINGS, situate in PURKIS-STREET, close to the PARRAMATTA ROAD and its junction with CAMPERDOWN ROAD.
PITTWATER, CAREEL BAY.	BLOCK of LAND, containing an area of 4 acres, being lot 6, section C, as per plan at the Rooms.
BROULEE.	11 ACRES of Land in the TOWNSHIP.

HARDIE and GORMAN, 133, Pitt-street.

CITY PROPERTY. PHILLIP-STREET, near KING-STREET.

A MAGNIFICENT BUILDING SITE, having about 70 FEET 6 INCHES FRONTAGE to PHILLIP-STREET, by the great depth of about 120 FEET, almost opposite to WENTWORTH COURT, and near to STARKEY'S MINERAL WATERS FACTORY.

TITLE, FREEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 24th AUGUST,

The above described BLOCK OF CITY BUILDING LAND.

. A GRAND SITE, well adapted for OFFICES in this QUIET THOROUGHFARE, convenient to all the LAW COURTS, central for all business purposes, and away from the noise and bustle of the tram.

Plan on View, prepared by Messrs. REUSS and HALLORAN, Surveyors.

THE SECOND PONDS, ROUSE HILL, off the WINDSOR ROAD.

29 ACRES of GOOD, OPEN, WELL-GRASSED in part, and HEAVILY-TIMBERED LAND, having a large road frontage, and a frontage also to the SECOND PONDS, within a convenient distance of the RIVERSTONE STATION, and close to some of the best ORANGERIES and ORCHARDS in the district.

☞ ABSOLUTE SALE.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell, by public auction, at their ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 24th August, 29 ACRES, as above described.

PLAN ON VIEW. TORRENS' TITLE.

☞ TO SPECULATORS, BUILDING SOCIETIES, and others.

BURWOOD and CROYDON.

55½ ACRES, opposite to CROYDON PARK, commanding large frontages to the BURWOOD ROAD GEORGE'S RIVER ROAD and COOK'S RIVER.

Can easily be subdivided and sold in LARGE BLOCKS, as per plan, in the coming spring.

FREEHOLD TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock WEDNESDAY, 24th AUGUST,

"ROSEDALE," BURWOOD, 55½ ACRES of gentle sloping land.

☞ All lands in this locality are now being opened by subdivision sales. Close to, and around, may be noticed a large number of NEW RESIDENCES erected and in course of erection. The country is pretty, and the situation fairly convenient. No land can be purchased on the same favourable terms within the same distance from the centre of the metropolis; nor can the same inducements be held out to the middle classes specially to purchase in any other locality.

. TERMS AT SALE.

PLAN ON VIEW.

IN THE ESTATE of the late M. CONSETT STEPHEN.

Clearance Sale of Valuable SUBURBAN and COUNTRY PROPERTIES, to close the Estate.

LOT 1.—ENFIELD, MINNA ROSA ESTATE. Block of Land adjoining "Wynnstay," in area about 3 chains by 5 chains, with frontage to Prospect-place, leading to Punchbowl Road, near the Wood Cutters' Arms. (Plan at the Rooms.)

LOT 2.—CANTERBURY, Block of Land, 50 ACRES in area, parish of St. George, adjoining Quigg's. (Plan at the Rooms.)

LOT 3.—BURWOOD, RIVER VIEW-TERRACE, close to Mr. Marsden's, and opposite Mr. Tebbutt's, TWO Allotments fronting River View-terrace, and FIVE Allotments fronting JOHN-STREET, at the rear of the above. (Plan at the Rooms.)

LOT 4.—BROULEE, 10 ACRES, as per plan at Rooms.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street (in the ESTATE of the LATE M. CONSETT STEPHEN), at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 24th AUGUST,

The above described properties at ENFIELD, CANTERBURY, BURWOOD, and BROULEE.

PARAZA.

VILLA MARIA BAY, HUNTER'S HILL,

A Pretty Suburban HOMESTEAD, and TASTILY-LAID OUT GROUNDS, in area about 3¼ ACRES, at present occupied by James Levick, Esq., adjoining and opposite to the residences of E. LAYCOCK, Esq., and R. G. MASSIE, Esq., THREE MINUTES' WALK from the STEAMERS' WHARF, and occupying an elevated position in this PRETTY RIVERSIDE SUBURB, and commanding most CHARMING VIEWS of PARRAMATTA RIVER, and the pretty timbered country around, including the grounds of VILLA MARIA, which property it adjoins.

Preliminary Intimation.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 31st AUGUST, PARAZA, VILLA MARIA BAY, HUNTER'S HILL.

Plan on view.

Full details will be given in future advertisement.

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE D. NICHOL, Esq.

By Direction of the Executors.

THE STRATHFIELD ESTATE, REDMYRE HEIGHTS, 4 minutes from the Station.

GREAT SALE, ON THE GROUND, at 3 p.m., SATURDAY, 27th AUGUST.

LOT 1.—STRATHFIELD HOUSE and highly-improved Grounds, in area about 4 ACRES.

☞ This is one of the prettiest villas in the suburbs. The shrubberies, lawns, flower and kitchen gardens, are all in admirable order.

LOTS 2 to 8.—SEVEN BEAUTIFUL SUBURBAN BUILDING PLOTS, each 160 feet frontage to NICHOL PARADE, and divided by the roadway from the grounds attached to Strathfield House.

LOTS 21 to 24, 35, and 36.—SIX GRAND VILLA SITES, each about 90 feet frontage to REDMYRE BOULEVARDE, by depths of 200 feet each. On lot 36 STANDS the pretty and substantially-built LODGE.

LOTS 28 to 34.—SEVEN very eligibly situated VILLA SITES, each 50 feet frontage to STRATHFIELD AVENUE, by depths of about 180 feet.

☞ These are all grand positions, elevated, and commanding good views. On some of the lots there are well-established trees and shrubs.

☞ The property is situate at the pretty suburb of Redmyre.

TORRENS' TITLE.

☞ Cards to view must be obtained from the Auctioneers.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the EXECUTORS of the LATE D. NICHOL, Esq. to sell by public auction, ON THE GROUND, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 27th AUGUST,

STRATHFIELD HOUSE and IMPROVED GROUNDS, together with the choice BUILDING SITES adjoining, and situate in the very best part of this pretty SUBURB OF REDMYRE, between the residences of H. C. Fraser, Esq., and George Hardie, Esq., opposite the park-like grounds of C. E. Pilcher, Esq., M.P., and close to the valuable properties of Captain Cargill, James Thompson, Esq., Dr. P. Sydney Jones, and others.

The AUCTIONEERS invite attention to this sale of the STRATHFIELD property. The POSITION and SURROUNDINGS are CHARMING, and very convenient to the station.

DAY OF SALE: SATURDAY, 27th AUGUST, 1881, Terms easy.

MONDAY, 29th AUGUST.

AT ROCKWALL, MACLEAY-STREET, POTTS POINT,

the Residence of W. Clarke, Esq., the whole of his MAGNIFICENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, as under:—

CHOICE CUT and ENGRAVED GLASSWARE
FINEST QUALITY ELECTROPLATE and CUTLERY
HANDSOME PORCELAIN DINNER, TEA, and COFFEE SERVICES
MASSIVE DINING-ROOM SUITE, covered in Morocco
Very HANDSOMELY CARVED SIDEBOARD, with CELLARET and DRAWERS
MASSIVE EXTENDING DINING TABLE, 3 spare leaves
Best QUALITY TAPESTRY CARPET
HANDSOME REVOLVING SECRETAIRE, with drawers
SUPERB LOUNGES and EASY CHAIRS, in CRETONNE
Massive HALL SUITE, viz., Hat and Umbrella Stand, marble top, and 2 Chairs en suite
OILCLOTH, and best BRUSSELS STAIR CARPETS
PAIR of Fine MARBLE TAZZAS, on 4-feet pedestals
Verandah Seats and Lounges
Magnificent Carved and Inlaid WALNUT DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, covered in rich Crimson Satin, consisting of Double-end Lounge, 6 Chairs, Easy and Lady's Chair, in first-class order, and nearly new
HANDSOMELY CARVED and INLAID CENTRE, OCCASIONAL, CARD, and CHESS TABLES
MAGNIFICENT TONED TRICHORD PIANOFORTE, in very handsome frame
ELEGANT WALNUT INLAID MUSIC CANTERBURY
WALNUT REVOLVING STEREOSCOPE and GRAPHISCOPES
Choice DRESDEN and CHINA ORNAMENTS
PAIR of VERY FINE CARRARA VASES, under SHADES
HANDSOMELY CARVED GILT FRAME PIER GLASS
SPLENDID BRUSSELS CARPET, best QUALITY, 30 x 16
TWO PAIRS of ELEGANT GILT CORNICES, and four pairs of LACE CURTAINS and Fittings
POLISHED STEEL FENDER and FIREIRONS, ORMOLU MOUNTED
MAGNIFICENT DOUBLE-WINGED BIRCH WARDROBE, PLATE-GLASS CENTRE DOOR, fitted with Sliding Trays and Drawers
PAIR of very HANDSOME BIRCH TOILETS, viz., DRESSING TABLE with Glass and Drawers, and MARBLE SLAB WASHSTAND
GENT.'S MAHOGANY and BIRCH WARDROBES
CHEST of DRAWERS, TOWEL HORSES, and CANE-SEAT CHAIRS
PAIR of ELEGANT WALNUT-WOOD TOILETS, viz., DRESSING TABLES with Glass and Drawers, and MARBLE SLAB WASHSTAND en suite
MASSIVE TUBULAR CANOPY-TOP BEDSTEADS, patent foot rail, Heavy Horsehair Mattresses, Patent Spring Palliasses, Feather Pillows, Dimity and Net Curtains
LUXURIOUS BEDROOM LOUNGES, covered in cretonne
LARGE and HANDSOME BRUSSELS CARPET, 30 x 16
HALF-TESTER IRON BEDSTEADS and Bedding
Large Fine Linen Press
Venetian Blinds, and the
Usual Kitchen Utensils
GAS FITTINGS THROUGHOUT THE HOUSE.

To Gentlemen Furnishing, Commission Agents, Brokers, and Others.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from WILLIAM CLARKE, Esq., to sell by public auction, at his residence, ROCKWALL, MACLEAY-STREET, POTTS POINT, at 11 o'clock, on MONDAY, 29th AUGUST,

The WHOLE of his VALUABLE NEW and FASHIONABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

CATALOGUES in a few days.

☞ Inspection invited for Saturday.

THE COMMERCIAL STORES, SUSSEX-STREET (known as the property of Mr. Lowther), EXTENDING BACK TO STRUTH'S WHARF,

distant about 50 feet south of King-street, on the west of SUSSEX-STREET, and consisting of FOUR STONE-BUILT STORES, and large store at the rear.

The property is tenanted as follows:—
121. J. M'MINN
123 } THE WEST COAST AND WEST CAMDEN CO-OPERATIVE BUTTER COMPANY
125 }
127. GEORGE VESCY
at the rear
LARGE CELLARS, occupied by the Government
Ditto STORE occupied by Mr. J. M'Minn
TWO-STORY STORE, occupied by Messrs. Sommerville and Sons, and Mr. Jessie
Also,
STABLES for each tenant.

. The property is very substantially built, and the foundations would carry buildings 3 or 4 stories high.

☞ The position is one of the best for business purposes in SUSSEX-STREET, close to the wharfs, almost opposite to the CITY BANK, Western branch.

TITLE, FREEHOLD. Apply to T. J. Jaques, Esq., Vendor's solicitor, Pitt-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 31st AUGUST,

THE COMMERCIAL STORES situate in SUSSEX-STREET.

. The land has a frontage of 90 FEET by a depth of 115 FEET.

INSPECTION IS INVITED.

CITY PROPERTY.

KENT-STREET, near MARKET-STREET.

THE LAND has a frontage of 37 FEET to KENT-STREET by a depth of 71 feet, on portion of which is erected two brick houses, one containing 4 rooms and kitchen, and one rooms, &c.

The property is situate at the rear of Messrs. W. S. FRIEND and CO.'S Stores, close to the wharfs and the centre of the city, and in a locality which is very fast improving.

Freehold Title.

W. COPE, Esq., Vendor's Solicitor.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 31st AUGUST,

The above-described property, situate in KENT-STREET.

Plan in due course.

. With the growth and progress of the city, all properties in KENT-STREET will ultimately realise a much increased value, and will rank as SITES for STORES, WAREHOUSES, and BUSINESS PREMISES second only to GEORGE and PITT STREETS.

CITY FREEHOLD.

A LARGE BLOCK OF BUILDING LAND, having 123 FEET 9 INCHES frontage to ELIZABETH-STREET, 51 FEET to CASTLEREAGH-STREET, by a depth of 145 FEET from street to street, close to HUNTER-STREET.

ADJOINING the OFFICES of W. W. BILLYARD, Esq., and the ROYAL SOCIETIES' OFFICES, together with the BUILDING and STRONG-ROOM thereon, for many years occupied by James Norton, Esq., solicitor.

. This BLOCK of LAND is immediately available for BUILDING PURPOSES, such as the erection of a large CLUB or THEATRE.

The POSITION is CENTRAL and CONVENIENT, and the locality is rapidly improving.

THE AUCTIONEERS' INSTRUCTIONS are POSITIVELY to SELL the WHOLE IN ONE LINE.

TO CLOSE PARTNERSHIP ACCOUNTS.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 31st AUGUST,

The above described BLOCK OF CITY LAND.

Plan is on view.

A. H. McCULLOCH, Esq., M.P., Vendor's Solicitor.

CHISWICK, PARRAMATTA RIVER.

35 ACRES BEAUTIFULLY SLOPING LAND, fronting FIVE DOCK BAY and BLACKWALL POINT ROAD, opposite to Dr. FORTESCUE'S MARINE RETREAT and the magnificent RIVERSIDE ESTATE OF Dr. RENWICK.

TO BE SOLD IN ONE LINE, for SUBDIVISION in THE SPRING, or for FUTURE HOLDING.

☞ TERMS, CASH. TITLE, FREEHOLD.

. TO BUILDING SOCIETIES, SPECULATORS, and Others.—This is a MAGNIFICENT PROPERTY, and the AUCTIONEERS with confidence direct attention to it.

PLAN IS ON VIEW AT THE ROOMS.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 31st AUGUST,

CHISWICK, 35 ACRES, FIVE DOCK BAY, PARRAMATTA RIVER.

AUCTIONEERS' NOTICE.

SPECIAL SALE DAY for COTTAGE PROPERTIES, INEXPENSIVE VILLAS, and HOUSES.

FIRST MONDAY IN EACH MONTH.

☞ In order to meet the requirements of our clients who may wish to SELL or BUY SMALL HOUSE PROPERTIES, we have decided to hold SPECIAL MONTHLY AUCTION SALES of this class of property ONLY.

☞ Our NEXT SALE will be on MONDAY, 4th September, at 11.30 o'clock, and subsequent Sales will be held on the FIRST MONDAY in each month.

All properties offered must be for bona-fide sale; and we reserve the right to refuse to submit any property on which an undue value may be placed by the vendor.

By this means we hope to establish a better market for the smaller class of properties which may from time to time be offered.

We now invite sellers to furnish particulars of properties to be offered on MONDAY, 4th September,

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers, 133, Pitt-street, Sydney.

SHANKLIN.

A CHARMING VILLA RESIDENCE, together with nearly 13 ACRES OF LAND, NEAR THE WHARF AT BURWOOD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER,

THAT DELIGHTFULLY SITUATED property, commanding frontages to the WHARF ROAD, BROUGHTON and SALT STREETS, and HEN and CHICKEN BAY, BURWOOD. THE VILLA contains 7 rooms, with hall and long verandah, covered with slated roof, detached kitchen, 2 servants' room, stable, coachhouse, cowshed, fowlyard, &c.; the verandah festooned with choice creeping plants, the ground planted with shady trees, Norfolk Island pines, Moreton Bay figs, &c., &c. The grounds have extensive frontages on the east to the Wharf Road, on the south to Salt-street, on the west to Broughton-street, and on the north side to the waters of Hen and Chicken Bay, being admirably adapted for subdivision for villas of any kind.

. Few properties with an equal area are now to be obtained. Steamers ply every day from the wharf (close to the property) to Sydney—the Road, the Rail, and the River being available to the owner. There is a jetty from the garden to bathing-house, where sea bathing can be enjoyed all the year round. In the garden there is a large underground cellar, cemented, intended to keep wine and beer perfectly cool; also a large underground tank, and an ample supply of water in the driest season. The situation of this property includes so many advantages that to be appreciated it must be seen.

Cards to view obtained at the Rooms.

TITLE, FREEHOLD. Messrs. Deane and Deane, Elizabeth-street, solicitors for vendor.

TERMS:—25 per cent. deposit, the balance in notes at 6, 12, and 18 months, at 5 per cent. interest, secured on the property.

Plan, prepared by Mr. Surveyor Atchison, is now on view.

☞ OUT OF THE ORDINARY.

MONDAY, 19th SEPTEMBER, ON THE GROUND, ☞ at 4 O'CLOCK.

☞ ABSOLUTE SALE, TO CLEAR.

BLACKFRIARS ESTATE.

BLACKFRIARS ESTATE.

. SOME OF MOST CENTRALLY SITUATED CITY LAND, VASTLY IMPROVED COMMUNICATION, and acknowledged as the cheapest CITY BUILDING LAND offered at auction.

TORRENS' ACT TITLE.

TERMS: Ten per cent. of the whole amount of the purchase money, and the balance in cash within two or three years, at 6½ per cent.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction,

ON THE GROUND,

on MONDAY, 19th SEPTEMBER, at 4 o'clock,

THE FOLLOWING ALLOTMENTS, ☞ TO CLEAR:—

SECTION 1.

LOTS 6, 7, 8, each having a frontage of 16 feet 2 inches to BUCKLAND-STREET.

SECTION 2.

LOTS 25 to 32, each having a frontage of 15 feet to BUCKLAND-STREET.

SECTION 3.

LOTS 16 to 20, each having 15 feet frontage of LUDGATE-STREET

LOTS 22 to 25, each having a frontage of 15 feet to GRAFTON-STREET.

SECTION 4.

LOTS 1 to 14, each having 15 feet frontage to BUCKLAND and LUDGATE STREETS.

SECTION 5.

LOTS 2 to 7, each having a frontage of 15 feet to GRAFTON-STREET.

SECTION 6.

LOTS 1 to 6, each having a frontage of 16 feet 2 inches to BUCKLAND-STREET.

LOTS 13 to 17, each having a frontage of 15 feet to BUCKLAND-STREET.

SECTION 7.

LOTS 1 and 2, having 37 and 44 feet 9 inches frontage to COOPER-STREET.

SECTION 8.

LOTS 6 to 17, each having a frontage of 15 feet to GRAFTON-STREET.

LOTS 25 to 36, each having a frontage of 20 feet to GEORGE-STREET.

SECTION 9.

LOT 1, having 33 feet 11 inches frontage to SHEPHERD-STREET

LOTS 2, 3, and 4, each having 15 feet frontage to SHEPHERD-STREET.

SECTION 10.

LOTS 1 to 7, each having a frontage of 15 feet to SHEPHERD-STREET

LOTS 10 and 11, each having a frontage of 15 feet to ROSE-STREET.

LOT 12, having 34 feet 10 inches frontage to ROSE-STREET.

SECTION 11.

LOTS 1 having 36 feet frontage
2 and 3 15 ditto ditto each
4 ditto 30 ditto ditto
to SHEPHERD-STREET.

LOTS 5, 6, and 7, each having a frontage of 15 feet to KNOX-STREET

LOT 8, having 22 feet frontage to GEORGE-STREET.

Lithographs are in course of preparation.

LARGE SALE PLAN ON VIEW AT ROOMS.

☞ NOTE THE DAY OF SALE.

☞ MONDAY, ☞ 19th SEPTEMBER, ☞ AT 4 O'CLOCK,

☞ ON THE GROUND.

Preliminary intimation.

TOWNSHIP OF GOSFORD.

THE WYOMING ESTATE, consisting of 150 ACRES, subdivided into blocks varying from ½ to 4 acres each, fronting NEWCASTLE, GLENNIE, CAMPBELL, PRINCES, WHARF, REBECCA, and other streets, and a LARGE FRONTAGE TO NARRARA CREEK.

. This property is situated close to the proposed route of the Northern Railway, which will open up all the splendid country round Gosford.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, 21st SEPTEMBER,

The above-described property, as per plan at the Rooms.

Further particulars in due course.

ON THE HEIGHTS OF PARRAMATTA, NEAR THE JUNCTION, embracing views of the country all around.

TWO SUBURBAN RESIDENCES, WITH GOOD AREAS OF FIRST-CLASS LAND, more particularly described as follows:—

LOT 1.—HARBORNEVILLE, a gentleman's suburban residence, built of cut stone a foot thick throughout, containing wide hall, 11 rooms, cellar, pantry, store, kitchen, servants'-room, washhouse, slated roof, cedar fittings, cornices and centre-pieces in rooms, marble mantelpieces, steel grates, bells, and every other convenience. The water supply includes an immense underground tank, holding 30,000 gallons, which cost £275.

☞ The land comprises an area of nearly 3 acres, and is laid out into lawn, shrubberies, flower and kitchen gardens. The grounds are all sub-drained.

HARBORNEVILLE, situate on the HEIGHTS of PARRAMATTA, commands from its elevation the most delightful views in the county of Cumberland, and is free from the summer heat so oppressive in many of the low-lying suburbs. The sea breezes are light, cool, and invigorating.

HARBORNEVILLE is situate within about ten minutes' walk of either the GRANVILLE or PARRAMATTA STATIONS.

INSPECTION OF HARBORNEVILLE IS INVITED.

LOT 2.—GRAHAMVILLE, situate in RAILWAY-STREET, a little above Harborneville, occupies a position unsurpassed around PARRAMATTA; constructed in Gothic design, of W. B.; it contains 12 rooms, kitchen, store, washhouse, laundry, stable, coachhouse, &c. Two underground tanks.

☞ THE LAND is 200 feet by 155 feet, under an acre in area, and is laid out into flower and vegetable garden, &c.

Inspection of Grahamville is invited.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from J. C. RUTTER, Esq., to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock WEDNESDAY, 31st AUGUST,

HARBORNEVILLE and GRAHAMVILLE, HEIGHTS OF PARRAMATTA, the very properties required for residences by SYDNEY MERCHANTS SQUATTERS and OTHERS.

The frequent through trains to Parramatta bring these properties within very easy daily travelling of the metropolis.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

BISHOP'S MOUNT.

HEIGHTS OF COOGEE.

THE CREAM OF THE EASTERN SUBURBS.

13½ ACRES of the FINEST, MOST ELEVATED, and BEST POSITIONED LAND yet offered to the PUBLIC, NOW BEING SUBDIVIDED, and will be submitted to PUBLIC AUCTION, on the GROUND, on SATURDAY, 24th SEPTEMBER, at 3.30.

BISHOP'S MOUNT adjoins the east boundary of the residence of the LORD BISHOP OF SYDNEY, and commands the same CHARMING AND EXTENSIVE VIEWS.

Particulars in future issue.

HARDIE and GORMAN.

TO WOOL MERCHANTS, WAREHOUSEMEN, WHARF OWNERS, INVESTORS, MERCHANTS, CAPITALISTS, and SPECULATORS.

MAGNIFICENT BLOCK OF CITY LAND, having 635 FEET 10½ INCHES frontage to GEORGE-STREET NORTH and 535 FEET 5 INCHES to a RESERVED ROAD, by a depth of from 73 to 120 FEET.

A Plan showing a subdivision on view at the Rooms; each allotment having frontage to both streets, exceptionally well situated for LARGE STORES, leaving both frontages available for the receipt and delivery of goods.

TITLE—Apply to H. R. Way, Esq., solicitor, Elizabeth-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 28th SEPTEMBER,

THE WHOLE of the GEORGE-STREET frontage of the property originally known as THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

. It is rarely that an opportunity is afforded to buyers of purchasing so large a block of city land, and in so good a position.

The attention which is being paid to this port by shipowners, and the possibility of other large steamers trading to this port, together with the advantages which will follow from tram extension, as well as the possibility of railway extension, make the prospective value of this freehold very large.

Offers have been made for portions of this property, but the instructions are to sell the whole in one line to a building society, or to merchants for stores.

PLAN ON VIEW.

UNRESERVED SALE.

In the Estate of the late THOMAS DONLON, GOSFORD.

TOWN LOTS and FARMS, GOSFORD, BRISBANE WATER.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions from the Executors in the above Estate to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 280, George-street, NEXT THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, at 11 o'clock,

Lot 1.—TOWN LOT, being allotment No. 3, of section 81, TOWN of GOSFORD, Brisbane Water, having a frontage to MANN-STREET of 66 feet, by the great depth of 330 feet, adjoining the reserve for a POLICE PADDOCK.

Lot 2.—FARM, containing 52 acres 2 roods, situated on WYONG CREEK, being portion of lot 40 of the PARISH of WYONG, COUNTY OF NORTHUMBERLAND.

Lot 3.—Farm containing 50 acres, situated on the Main Road from GOSFORD to LAKE MACQUARIE and NEWCASTLE, being lot 24 of the parish of Gosford.

N.B.—The surveyed route for the Great Northern Railway passes through this property.

☞ The whole of the above properties are situated in an improving district, which will be greatly enhanced in value by the increased facilities of access to Sydney afforded by the Northern Railway line, decided on by the Government.

Solicitor for the Estate, T. Read, Esq., 71, Castlereagh-street.

Title, Freehold and Crown Grants.

Terms at sale.

GRAND BLOCK OF LAND, SUITABLE FOR SUBDIVISION, containing about 230 Acres, having water frontages to the PACIFIC OCEAN, CAREEL BAY, PITTWATER, and MAIN ROAD to BARRANJUIE.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 280, George-street, NEXT THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, at 11 o'clock, ALL THAT BLOCK of LAND, containing about 230 acres, being a portion of the PITTWATER ESTATE.

☞ This splendid block of land is admirably situated for a subdivision on account of its numerous advantages, having the MAIN ROAD from Manly to Barranjuie running through it, and commanding water frontages to the PACIFIC OCEAN and CAREEL BAY.

Plan at the Rooms. Title freehold. Terms at sale.

BALMAIN EAST, off DARLING-STREET.

TWO FOUR-ROOMED HOUSES and COTTAGES.

A REALLY GOOD FREEHOLD INVESTMENT.

The Property in Thorough Repair.

W. PRITCHARD has received positive instructions to sell by auction, in his Rooms, 280, GEORGE-STREET, NEXT THURSDAY, August 25, at 11 o'clock.

ALL THAT BLOCK of land having a frontage of about 80 feet to DATCHET-STREET, BALMAIN EAST, upon which are erected TWO HOUSES, built of hardwood weatherboards, upon stone foundations, each containing four rooms and kitchen, &c., &c., &c.

Also, A COTTAGE RESIDENCE, built of weatherboard, on stone foundation, containing six rooms and kitchen with spacious verandah on two sides.

☞ The whole of this property is in splendid order.

This eligible freehold is in immediate proximity to the DARLING-STREET FERRY, where boats leave every 15 minutes.

Cards to view at the Rooms.

Title, freehold. S. C. BROWN, Esq., Solicitor.

To Hotel Buyers and others.

BUER and CO. will sell by public auction, on WEDNESDAY, 24th of August, on the premises,

The valuable lease of that well-known favourably patronised marine hotel, The WARWICK CASTLE, Balmain, together with license, goodwill, furniture, fittings and fixtures, as per inventory.

The first-class position and grand accommodation of this old-established hostelry, with so many advantages, are too well known to need any comments at the hands of the Auctioneers. The whole will be submitted in one lot; if not sold lease and license will be offered together; fittings and furniture in lots to suit buyers.

Positively no reserve.

Terms, cash.

Full particulars of BUER and CO., 71, Pitt-street.

FRIDAY, 2nd September, at 12 o'clock sharp.

G. S. CROUCH has received instructions from George Browne, Esq., Marshal of the Vice-Admiralty Court, Tasmania, by virtue of a decree by Sir Francis Smith, Knt., Judge of the said Court, to sell by public auction, without reserve, at the Mart, 58, Collins-street, Hobart, time and day as above,

The Danish brigantine MARIE, A1 for 12 years on Veritas, and built in 1875, of oak, 143·30 tons, and will carry 220 on 11 feet draft; recently landed cargo of sugar from the Mauritius. Her hull, spars, as also her sails (of which she has nearly two suits), and standing and running gear, are in splendid order; and she is well found in anchors and chains.

Reference: Messrs. GILL and BALL, Solicitors, Macquarie-street, Hobart.

Terms: 25 per cent. cash as deposit; balance on transfer.

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Funerals.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. THOMAS BYRNE, of Burton-street, near Oxford-street, are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from the residence of his Son-in-law, Mr. John M. Hennessy, No. 1, Randell's-terrace, Enmore Road, Newtown, THIS (Tuesday) MORNING, at quarter before 9 o'clock, for the Necropolis. CHARLES BOOTS, Newtown.

THE FUNERAL of the late Mrs. CATHERINE ANNE THOMPSON will leave her Son's residence, Sunnymede, Enfield, THIS MORNING, at a quarter before 10 for Camperdown Cemetery. WALTER STEWART.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JAMES WATSON are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved DAUGHTER, Isabella Jane; to move from his residence, Schimel-street, off Elizabeth-street, Waterloo, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis. J. and G. SHYING and CO., Undertakers, 747, George-street South.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. FREDERICK GREGORY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved DAUGHTER, Edith May; to move from his residence, 103, Phillip-street, Waterloo, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, to Necropolis. W. and H. KINSELA, 118, Oxford-street, near Crown-street; and George-street, opposite Christ Church.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mrs. MARY CHRISTINA JONES are respectfully invited to attend her Funeral, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON; to move from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. H. C. Humfress, Holdsworth-terrace, Glenview-street, Paddington, at half-past 2 o'clock, to the Waverley Cemetery. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 25, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mrs. ALICE BOHLE are respectfully informed that her Funeral will leave her late residence, Pitt-street, Waterloo, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, and proceed per Funeral train to Necropolis. CHARLES BOOTS, Undertaker, Newtown.

THE FRIENDS of the deceased Mr. HENRY FISHER are respectfully informed that his Funeral will move from his late residence, 328, Victoria-street, THIS DAY (Tuesday), at 3 o'clock, to the cemetery, Camperdown. JAMES CURTIS.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JOHN PURCELL are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased beloved DAUGHTER, Bridget, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, to move from St. Joseph's Church, Woollahra, at 3 o'clock, to the Catholic Cemetery, Devonshire-street. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 25, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JAMES PURCELL are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased beloved SISTER, Bridget, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, to move from St. Joseph's Church, Woollahra, at 3 o'clock, to the Catholic Cemetery, Devonshire-street. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 25, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of the late JOHN THOMAS READ are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral, to move from his late residence, Cedron, Regent-street, Paddington, on WEDNESDAY MORNING, at 9 o'clock precisely, to Waverley Cemetery. W. H. KINSELA, 118, Oxford-street, near Crown-street, and George-street, opposite Christ Church.

Public Companies.

P R O S P E C T U S
of the
COOPER DOWNS PASTORAL COMPANY, LIMITED.
To be registered under the Companies' Act of 1864.

CAPITAL, £250,000, in 25,000 Shares of £10 each, with power to increase.

10s per share payable on application, and £1 10s on allotment; the balance (as required) in calls not exceeding 10s each, at intervals of not less than three months.

Promoters:
Hon. JOHN CROZIER, M.L.C., Director of Bank of Adelaide.
Hon. R. C. BAKER, M.L.C., Director of Queensland Investment and Land Mortgage Company.
J. L. STIRLING, Esq., M.P., Director of Wallaroo Mines.
W. A. HORN, Esq., J.P., Mundi Mundi, Barrier Ranges.
Hon. R. D. ROSS, M.P., Director of Queensland Investment and Land Mortgage Company.
Hon. J. B. SPENCE, M.L.C., Director of Adelaide Steamship Company.
DAVID MURRAY, Esq., M.P. (Messrs. D. and W. Murray).
JOHN WHYTE, Esq., J.P. (late Whyte, Counsell, and Co.).

Solicitors:
Messrs. BAKER and BARLOW.

Bankers:
ENGLISH, SCOTTISH, and AUSTRALIAN CHARTERED BANK, Adelaide.

Brokers and Secretaries (pro. tem.):
HORN and WARBURTON, North-terrace, Adelaide.
SMITH, DOSWELL, and CO., Surveyors.

This Company is proposed to be formed for the following purposes:—
1st. Acquiring and paying for 6832 square miles, or 4,372,480 acres of Pastoral Land held under leases from the Governments of South Australia and New South Wales, particulars of which are set forth in the First Schedule hereto, together with about 2000 Head of Cattle, and other the Working Horses, Plant, Stores, &c., at present on the country to be purchased from Messrs. W. Crozier and Co., as hereinafter mentioned.
2nd. Acquiring such other pastoral country in New South Wales, Queensland, South Australia, and Western Australia, as the Company may by special resolution declare to be desirable.
3rd. Developing, improving, and stocking any country to be acquired by the Company.
4th. Borrowing money on debentures or mortgage of properties acquired by the Company, and carrying on generally the business of squatting.
5th. Such other purposes as may be set forth in the Memorandum of Association.
The situation of the 6832 square miles of country is shown on the map accompanying the Prospectus.
For full particulars see issues:—
Sydney Morning Herald—August 15, 16, 17, 18
Sydney Daily Telegraph—August 15, 16, 17, 18
Sydney Evening News—August 15, 16, 17, 18
Town and Journal—August 13, 20
Australasian (Melbourne)—August 13
Bulletin (Sydney)—August 20
Melbourne and Adelaide papers—Same date.
Prospectuses, with plans and full information, from the agents,
GRIFFITHS and WEAVER, Sydney;
CHAS. BROWN, 43, Bourke-street, Melbourne.

THE CIVIL SERVICE BANKING AND COMMERCIAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY, LIMITED.

Incorporated by Act of Parliament, and under the Companies' Acts.

CAPITAL, £5000, IN SHARES OF £1 EACH.

10s paid on application, and the balance as the Directors may consider advisable, provided an interval of at least one month elapse between each call and no call exceed 2s 6d per share.

Directors and Trustees:
The Hon. J. S. FARNELL, M.L.A., Chairman.
The Hon. J. SUTHERLAND, M.L.A., Vice-Chairman.
T. Y. THOMPSON, Esq. | THOMAS NEWTON, Esq.
C. J. ROYLE, Esq. | GEO. J. FINLAYSON, Esq.
H. T. SHEPPEY, Esq.
(with power to add to their number).

Solicitor:
ARCHIBALD ASHDOWN, Esq.

Bankers:
The MERCANTILE BANK.

Medical Officer:
W. H. WOOD, Esq., M.R.C.S.E., L.S.A., Lond., Stanmore.

Auditors:
JAMES E. GRAHAM, Esq., Auditor to the Savings Bank of New South Wales.
SAMUEL MAC DONNELL, Esq., George-street, Sydney.

Secretary:
G. HORTON MORRIS, Esq., A.I.A.

HEAD OFFICES:
Wentworth Court, Elizabeth-street, Sydney, N. S. W.

This Society has now been satisfactorily working for several months, and as its benefits are being daily more and more recognised it becomes necessary to considerably extend its operations. The directors have therefore decided to issue the remainder of the unallotted shares. Applications in the form as under, made on or before the 25th instant, will receive prompt attention. In the event of no allotment being made the amount paid on application will be returned in full.

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR SHARES.
To the Directors of the Civil Service Banking and Commercial Provident Society (Limited).
Gentlemen,—I hereby agree to take ______ shares of £1 each, or any less number that may be allotted to me, in the above society, and to pay the sum of ten shillings (10s) per share on application, and the balance in such calls as the directors may determine, and I authorise you to place my name upon the register of shareholders of the above society.
Name in full..........
Residence..........
Occupation..........
Date..........

All applications must be addressed to the Secretary, Wentworth Court, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL FIRE SOCIETY.
Established 1872.
Capital—£100,000, with power to increase to £1,000,000.
BONUSES—20 per cent. paid annually for the last eight years.
DIRECTORS.
Hon. John Sutherland, M.P., Chairman.
W. Henlet, Esq., M.P. | William Day, Esq., J.P.
John Wetherill, Esq., J.P. | Alderman James Green, J.P.

FIRST FIRE SOCIETY ESTABLISHED IN THE COLONY ON THE MUTUAL PRINCIPLE, GIVING POLICY HOLDERS BACK PART OF THEIR PREMIUMS AS A CASH BONUS OUT OF PROFITS EVERY YEAR.
Policy holders are perfectly free by law from all liability.
Fifteen days' grace allowed for payment of renewal premiums.
DAMAGE BY LIGHTNING AND EXPLOSIONS BY GAS PAID.
Prompt and liberal settlement for fires.
Fire insurance at LOWEST RATES.
WALTER CHURCH, Manager.
Head Offices—144, Pitt-street (next door but one north EVENING NEWS).

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.

ESTABLISHED 1849.

THE OLDEST MUTUAL LIFE OFFICE IN AUSTRALIA.

HEAD OFFICE: 87, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

Directors:
The Hon. John Smith, C.M.G., M.L.C., Chairman.
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Isaac E. Ives, Esq. | Robert J. King, Esq.
S. A. Joseph, Esq. | G. A. Murray, Esq.

Chief Medical Officer:
Dr. W. F. Mackenzie, L.R.C.P. (Edin.)

Actuary: Morrice A. Black, F.I.A. | Secretary: Alexander J. Ralston.

The new business of the year 1880 comprised 6551 POLICIES, assuring £2,181,256, and producing a new annual premium income of £72,850, being the largest amount of new business ever transacted in a single year BY ANY OFFICE IN THE BRITISH DOMINIONS.

Assurances in force...	£16,500,000
Annual income	760,000
Paid in claims	1,400,000
Distributed as bonus in cash	916,166

Accumulated Funds—
THREE AND A HALF MILLIONS Sterling.

AUSTRALIAN GENERAL ASSURANCE COMPANY (MARINE).

HEAD OFFICE, 97, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.
Established 1836.

Directors: Alex. Stuart, Esq., M.L.A., Chairman; H. Austin, Esq.; John Gilchrist, Esq.; Charles Smith, Esq.; F. Vickery, Esq.; Hon. James Watson, M.L.A.

MARINE RISKS of every description ACCEPTED at CURRENT RATES.

WOOL INSURED from time of shearing until reaching London.
HENRY T. FOX, Manager.

CITY MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY (Limited).
Offices—Waterloo-chambers, 438, George-street, Sydney.

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P. Hogan, Esq., J.P. | D. O'Connor, Esq., M.L.A.
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Applications must be made on the printed forms, to be obtained at the office, and must be sent in not later than SATURDAY, 27th instant.

By order of the Board,
ALEXANDER J. RALSTON, Secretary.
Sydney, August 16, 1881.

BOILERMAKERS wanted, must be good hands. Apply A. S. N. Co.'s Works, Pyrmont.

BOOTMAKERS.—A smart YOUTH, for press. Alderson and Sons' Factory.

BOOTMAKERS.—BOYS wanted, for youths' and CHILD'S, piece prices. Alderson and Sons' Factory.

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BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, LAD, accustomed to Blocking. W. E. Sawyer, Bellevue-street, Albion Estate.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, a Boot CLOSER. Alderson and Sons.

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MILLINERY.—Wanted, IMPROVERS and APPRENTICES. Mrs. Kingston, 27, Oxford-st.; 562, Geo.-st.

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MEDICAL STAFF.—Three legally qualified Medical PRACTITIONERS are required to perform the professional duties connected with the present epidemic of small-pox. Board, residence, and conveyance will be provided. Applications to be sent as early as possible to the Secretary, Board of Health, Treasury.

PAINTER wanted. D. Monte Taylor, Summer Hill Station, 8.16 train.

PAINTER—general Brush Hand. Apply J. C. Sommer, decorator, 247, Sussex-street.

PAINTERS.—Wanted, two IMPROVERS. Apply before 8 o'clock. J. B. Taylor, Botany Road, Alexandria.

PARTNER wanted, Bakery and Confectionery Business, price £150, call and see this. 42, Castlereagh-street.

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SHIRTS.—Wanted, MACHINIST (Singer's) and finishing Hand. Parisian Shirt Factory, Geo.-st., over Mountcastle's.

TAILORESSES.—Good Coat HAND wanted. 105, Liverpool-street.

TO BOOTMAKERS.—Wanted, a steady MAN, to make and repair. J. Ramsey, 130, John-street, Pyrmont.

TO CARPENTERS.—Wanted, IMPROVER. Mrs. Yates, Sutherland-street, Paddington.

TO COLLAR MAKERS.—Wanted, a good HAND, also HARNESSMAKER. Sharp, Botany Road, Redfern.

TO HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, good Haircutter and Shaver for the country. Apply 84, Oxford-street.

TO PAINTERS.—An IMPROVER. Apply Oakland, Pyrmont Bridge Road.

TO PLUMBERS.—Wanted, 2 smart Hands. J. Brown, Driver's Road, Burwood.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, Coat HANDS and Improvers. Excelsior Clothing Hall, 9, Market-street.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, Trousers Finishers and Improvers. 60, Foster-st., op. Belmore Park, Elizabeth-st.

TO TAILORESSES.—Trousers and Vest HANDS wanted, constant work. Apply 58, Market-street.

TO TAILORS.—Coat and Trousers MAKERS wanted. 387, George-street.

TO TAILORS.—Wanted, Coat HANDS. Apply M. Goulston, Market-street.

TO DENTISTS.—Wanted, first-class Mechanical ASSISTANT. Good references. Enclose copies and salary required. Address Cosmos, Herald.

TO ENTERING CLERKS.—Wanted, for Wholesale Drapery Warehouse, a JUNIOR, who has had some experience. Box 498, General Post Office.

TO MERCHANTS, Manufacturers, and Others wishing to Extend their Business.—A gentleman shortly leaving for New Zealand, is desirous of obtaining AGENCIES for that colony. Address A. J. B., Herald Office.

WANTED, good TAILORESSSES and Machinists. Apply 81, Liverpool-street.

WANTED, an IMPROVER to plumbing and gasfitting. G. Nicholls, Union-street, Macdonaldtown.

WANTED, a good HAIRDRESSER and SHAVER. Apply G. E. Prothero, Darling-street, Balmain.

WANTED, CARPENTERS. New wool stores, Central Wharf, Miller's Point.

WANTED, a BRASS-FINISHER. A. M'Leod and Son, brassfounders, &c., 29, Alfred-street, Circular Quay.

WANTED, FRENCHPOLISHER. Hereford-street, Forest Lodge. William Hardy.

WANTED, a PLASTERER, to cement a verandah. Apply to C. Mayes, St. Mary-street, N. Kingston.

WANTED, a young MAN, to make small goods. W. S. Fleming, Short-st., Leichhardt, Petersham.

WANTED, a HARNESS MAKER; also, an IMPROVER. A. Black, Petersham.

WANTED, 2 PLASTERERS. Apply Lloyd's-buildings, Darling-street, Lyndhurst.

WANTED, 4 good PLASTERERS. Apply job, Foveaux-street, or 121, Raleigh-st., Redfern, R. Cryen.

WANTED, Catholic Governess, 2 pupils, English and Music. Giles's Agency, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a COACHPAINTER. C. Anderson, Goulburn-street West.

WANTED, a LOCKSMITH; also, a smart LAD; good wages. G. Tall, sawmaker, 270, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a SIGNWRITER. Apply R. Lascelles, tobacconist, 104, William-street.

WANTED, a Lad as SMITH'S HELPER. Haining and Schimel, coach builders, 207, Castlereagh-street.

WANTED, a BOILER-MAKER and Assistant. Apply to E. Woodley, Summerbell's Wharf, Miller's Pt.

WANTED, a young GIRL (step dancer), Contralto, and Bass, for entertainment. Mrs. Mead, 47, Castlereagh-st.

WANTED, smart little Girl, 16 or 17, APPRENTICE to the drapery. Apply G. M. Seymour, 118, William-st.

WANTED, a strong Lad as STRIKER. C. Fehrenbach, blacksmith, Ashfield.

WANTED, a good BOATBUILDER. H. B. Swan, Abattoir Road, Balmain.

WANTED, 2 good CARPENTERS; Boy, as APPRENTICE. Dengate and Brown, Ashfield, near station.

WANTED, a good BEAMSMAN.—Apply Longbottom Tannery (late Alcock's), Wharf Road, Burwood.

WANTED, a good BEAMSMAN. Apply Farleigh, Nettheim, and Co., 16, York-street.

WANTED, an IMPROVER to the Carpentering. G. Watson, Liverpool Road, or Charlotte-street, Ashfield.

WANTED, good DRESSMAKER, few weeks; also, good plain sewer. 21, Lofts-street, late Bligh-street.

WANTED, an ALTO SINGER, also two Song and Dance Men, for an Amateur Minstrel Company. Apply Mr. Wells, 244, Pitt-street, nearly opposite the School of Arts.

WANTED, a first-class BAR-KEEPER, to act as manager; also, CASHBOY, and WASHER-UP. Apply, with references, to the Royal Exchange Hotel.

WANTED, first-class BAKER, for country; must understand small goods; single man preferred. Apply 9 and 10 o'clock, 164, Albion-street.

WANTED, a Nursery GOVERNESS, middle-aged, used to the care of young children. Apply Mrs. D. Marks, Cambrian Villa, Potts Point.

WANTED, a MATE, for small steamer to the Islands, &c.; German preferred. Apply to Rabone, Feez, and Co., 8, Wynyard-street.

WANTED, for New Zealand, a DYER, one who can dye and dress levant and furniture work; constant job for good tradesman. Waite and Co., Circular Quay, Sydney.

WANTED, a PARTNER. The proprietor of a weekly paper, doing a good business, wishing to enlarge his paper, requires a gentleman with £250. Address Good Morning, Herald Office.

WANTED, a first-class COACHSMITH; also Bodymakers, Carriage Makers, Improvers to all the branches, and 16 Lads, at Robertson's steam Coach Factory Works, Pitt-street South.

WANTED, by railway surveyor, good camp COOK, experienced FOGEMAN, CHAINMAN, and 2 AXEMEN, for the country. Apply between 9 a.m. and 11.30 a.m., at No. 5, Emily-terrace, Pyrmont Bridge Road, near Forest Lodge 'bus stand.

YOUNG LADY wanted, for the fancy. H. W. Webb, 74 and 76, King-street.

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Situations Wanted.

A STRONG young man wants a JOB next week as bricklayer's labourer. Apply Long Job, Herald Office.

ATTENDANT open to Engagement in hospital for small-pox; experience in London. Fido, Herald.

A YOUNG Woman wishes a light SITUATION, in a small family. Apply 156, Elizabeth-street.

A RESPECTABLE young English girl requires a SITUATION as Housemaid Parlour Maid in a small family; references from present mistress. Address A. T., care Mrs. Scott, Kinrata, Herald-street, Glebe Point.

AS COOK in a gentleman's family, college, or school, a steady active man; elderly man, who could make himself useful to his employer. E. Hargrave, care of Mr. Houghton, 205, Pitt-street.

BY a respectable young person, to accompany a lady to Melbourne or country, and to take charge of one child or two. Milly, Post-office, Newtown.

BY Married Couple, used to country: good laundress and plain cook, good groom and driver; own furniture if required; references. Open for a week. A. J. H., 151, Walker-street, Redfern.

BY FIRST-CLASS GROOM and Coachman, single, aged 35, town or country, excellent references, steady and sober, well up to his work, can milk; open three days. Clarke's Select Private Registry, 249, Castlereagh-st.

CARPENTER wants EMPLOYMENT in town or country; open 2 days. Address Carpenter, Herald Office.

CHIEF Steward wants SITUATION, steamer, v. g. certificates, town references. Steward, Lower Fort-street.

EXCELLENT Cook waiting Engagement. Good places on books daily. Miss Hall, Registry, 169, Elizabeth-street.

FIRST-class Milliner seeks ENGAGEMENT; open one week. Address Milliner, General Post Office.

MRS. MITCHELL'S Registry, New Canterbury Road, Petersham.—Man and wife waiting for Employment.

SITUATION wanted by a first-class French Cook; good references. Apply 5, Queen's-place.

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TO CARPENTERS.—Young Man wants SITUATION Improver to good man, two years' experience. P., Herald.

WATCHMAKER, practical, colonial experience, open for Engagement. J. T. C., Hurst, watchmaker, Geo.-s.

WANTED—M. Couples; Men, farm work; Grooms, General, in or out doors; Lads. 110, Market-street.

WANTED, Situation, House and Parlour Maid. Mrs. Smith, opposite Shanks's, Walker-street, North Shore.

WANTED, by a thorough Housemaid, SITUATION, first-class hotel. Address M. D., 52, Gloucester-street.

WANTED, by a sober elderly man, a SITUATION as gardener, useful. J. P., 219, Clarence-street.

WANTED, Evening Employment, by a respectable young man, any capacity. P. Vernon, 104, Lower George-st.

WANTED, to take in families' WASHING. Apply Richmond Cottage, Elizabeth-street, Ashfield.

WANTED, by a respectable young Man, SITUATION in country store, long experience, good references. Apply C. R., 163, Castlereagh-street.

WANTED, a SITUATION, in any capacity, where trust and confidence are required; sober, honest, and smart business man, also good writer and understands horses. Address B. C. F., Herald Office.

WANTED to PLACE an active, carefully-trained Youth under master builder, to learn all parts of the trade; country town preferred; open one week. Address M. N., Fig Tree.

WANTED, by a respectable man, SITUATION in store, or any place of trust, has had thirteen years' experience in the grocery trade in one of the leading firms in Sydney. Address A. B., No. 220, Pitt-street.

YOUNG person desires ENGAGEMENT as dressmaker and needlewoman in a family. L. Y., General Post Office.

RAIN.—RILEY, BROTHERS for UMBRELLAS, MACINTOSHES, LEGGINGS, and OVERCOATS.

Servants Wanted.

A COOK (Man) wanted, 30s; Female Cook, 20s; Boys, Married Couples. Simmonds' Reg., 222, Castlereagh-st.

A GENERAL SERVANT required, for small family. 578, Bourke-street, Surry Hills.

A GOOD COOK and LAUNDRESS, with reference. Mrs. Rosnold, Engehurst, Begg-street, Paddington.

A SMART BOY wanted, for shop. Zions, 409, George-street.

A SMART BOY, about 14, wanted. Apply 20, Park-street, after 9 o'clock.

A STRONG active BOY wanted. Apply, after 9 a.m., 61½, Castlereagh-street.

A USEFUL GIRL, accustomed to children, wanted. Apply 699, George-street, Haymarket.

A COMPETENT General SERVANT wanted, or else a useful Girl, to assist in housework. Apply Mrs. Clarke, 441, Bourke-street, near Albion-street, Surry Hills.

A WORKING HOUSEKEEPER wanted, near Newtown; must be fond of children; good wages and comfortable home to competent woman; references. Apply to S. S., Herald Office.

BOY wanted. 88, William-street.

BOY wanted, to attend horse and buggy; to go up country. 367, Liverpool-street, Darlinghurst.

COOK and LAUNDRESS wanted; must understand the work and have refs. 3, Richmond-terrace, Domain, Sydney.

EXPERIENCED COOK and LAUNDRESS wanted; references. 157, Macquarie-street North.

GENERAL SERVANTS wanted, for hotels, in country; also Servants for town. Mrs. Stephenson, 6, Bridge-street.

GIRL, wanted, young and strong, for housework. Apply Seaview Villa, Paddington.

GIRL wanted, age about 14, as NURSE; sleep at home. Mrs. Kebblewhite, 43, Erskine-street.

GIRL wanted, to cook and generally useful; sleep at home. Mrs. Kebblewhite, 43, Erskine-street.

GOOD General SERVANT wanted. Apply after 9, Mrs. Dixon, 13, Upper William-street South.

HANDY MAN wanted, for cows, horses, and to be generally useful. Mr. Hay, Lawson Station.

HOME for little Girl, about 12, Protestant; she would be trained in domestic duties, clothed, and taken care of; also instructed a little in English. M. W., General Post Office, Sydney.

NURSE wanted, for young baby. Mrs. W. F. Brennan, Farleigh, Point Piper Road, Paddington.

NURSE, young or elderly, 2 children. 3, Ina-terrace, opposite Ocean-street 'bus stand, Double Bay.

RESPECTABLE BOY wanted, for the Horse and Jockey Hotel, Homebush. Apply 9 a.m. till 6 p.m., at the Paris Restaurant, foot of Market-street.

THOROUGH General SERVANT wanted; boy kept. No. 1, Lancaster Villa, Ocean-street, Woollahra.

WANTED, STONEBREAKERS. Apply Monie and Mattinson, railway contractors, Wallerawang.

WANTED, STONE-BREAKERS, freestone metal. Apply W. Harris, Hay and Corn Store, Circular Quay.

WANTED, a MAN, to make himself useful. Apply T. Playfair, 101, George-street.

WANTED, a smart BOY. Apply J. M'Lean and Son, silversmiths, 21, Hunter-street.

WANTED, good MAN, brick carting; good wages. North Annandale Hotel, Annandale.

WANTED, a tidy NURSEGIRL. Apply Punch's Hotel, Woolloomooloo Bay.

WANTED, respectable experienced General SERVANT, 2 in family; wages, 12s. 5, Bridge-street.

WANTED, a strong LAD, for blacksmith's shop. J. Smith, Sussex-street, near Erskine-street.

WANTED, General SERVANTS, NURSEGIRLS. Mrs. Mitchell's Reg., New Canterbury Road, Petersham.

WANTED, a smart BOY, to make himself useful. At once, Excelsior Clothing Hall, 9, Market-street.

WANTED, a good WAITRESS. National Dining Rooms, Union-street, Pyrmont.

WANTED, a steady Man as DRAYMAN. John Brown, timber merchant, St. Leonards.

WANTED, respectable Boy, as Office MESSENGER. Bretnall, Brothers, Temple Court, King-street.

WANTED, a smart BOY. Hatfield, Brothers, 173, Pitt-street.

WANTED, Youth, to wear livery; good wages; references required. Grattan's Press Agency, 284, George-st.

WANTED, 2 good farming MEN, for country. B. B. Nicoll, 9, Sussex-street.

WANTED, good General SERVANT, small family. Thamora, 308, Victoria-st., behind St. John's Church.

WANTED, respectable Working HOUSEKEEPER. Apply for address to Mr. Foxall, stationer, &c., Oxford-st.

WANTED, a respectable BOY, 13, able to read and write. Dr. R. Schuette, 16, College-street, Hyde Park.

WANTED, a respectable young MAN, accustomed to a family trade. J. Thompson, butcher, St. Leonards.

WANTED, a good COOK. St. Canice, Darling Point, near St. Mark's Church. Also a Gen. Servant for country.

WANTED, a BOY, to look after a horse and buggy, &c. No. 1, Lancaster Villa, Ocean-street, Woollahra.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply 280, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, MAN, who understands horses, able to drive and ride. Apply 1, Ida-terrace, Glebe Road, 9 to 10.

WANTED, a WOMAN, to wash. Apply early, Coachman's Arms, 151, Clarence-street.

WANTED, LABOURER, for carpenters. Hereford-street, Forest Lodge. William Hardy.

WANTED, 2 Bricklayer's LABOURERS. Hereford-street, Forest Lodge. William Hardy.

WANTED, good General SERVANT who can wash and iron. 186, Macquarie-street, near Albion-street.

WANTED, respectable General SERVANT, with reference, 2 in family. 107, Lower George-street.

WANTED, a young GIRL, to mind a baby and make herself useful. Apply 68, Upper Fort-street.

WANTED, YOUTH, accustomed to butchering. G. Batlin, Phillip and Cameron streets, Balmain.

WANTED, a Girl, 15, for General SERVANT. 9, Church-street, Pyrmont.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply Mrs. Montgomery, Missenden Road, Camperdown.

WANTED, shirt and dress IRONERS, also Improvers. Sydney Steam Laundry, Crown and Stanley streets.

WANTED, Married Couple for hotel, Richmond River; Woman Cook, Man to be useful. Giles's Agency, Pitt-st.

WANTED, Farming Men, Hotel Cook, Groom, Dairymen, Carters, Miners. Giles's Labour Agency, Pitt-street.

WANTED, Man COOK, for hotel; Man and Boy, milk; second Cook, Boys. 110, Market-street.

WANTED, Boy, grocer; Boy, baker; Boy, gent.'s house; Boy, cigar shop, &c. 110, Market-street.

WANTED, H. Maid for Grafton, to-night; others, country and town. Home Registry, 110, Market-street.

WANTED, a respectable Girl, as General SERVANT. Crown Hotel, Elizabeth and Goulburn streets.

WANTED, a COOK and LAUNDRESS. After 10, to Mrs. W. Roberts, 281, Castlereagh & Liverpool sts.

WANTED, a LAD to collect orders, deliver meat. 27, Dowling-street, near Moore Park.

WANTED, a NURSE and NEEDLEWOMAN, 128, Northumberland-terrace, Botany-st., Moore Park.

WANTED, a smart YOUTH, accustomed to the butchering. R. M'Kean, Oxford-street.

WANTED, a thorough General Servant; references; Gordon's Royal Hotel, Bourke and Campbell streets.

WANTED, an office BOY, able to read and write. 126, Oxford-street.

WANTED, strong YOUTH. 474, Crown-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, good General SERVANT. Apply 4, Ina-terrace, Double Bay, near Ocean-st. omnibus stand.

WANTED, a useful LAD. Apply Butcher's shop, next to Ancient Briton Hotel, Glebe Road.

WANTED, a respectable BOY to attend door. 23, Regent-street.

WANTED, a useful GIRL, from 12 to 14, good home. 43, Regent-street.

WANTED, a COOK, male or female. No. 4, George-street West.

WANTED, two active young MEN; one accustomed to horses. Peate and Co., Markets, George-street.

WANTED, a respectable Girl, as NURSE. Mrs. Cohen, Cypress Hall, Newtown Road.

WANTED, midday WAITRESS. Apply Lodge's Dining Rooms, George-street South.

WANTED, young GIRL, to look after children and assist in housework. 288, Elizabeth-st., op. Belmore Park.

WANTED, a WOMAN, to clean offices. Apply 766, George-street, Haymarket, first floor.

WANTED, a NURSEGIRL, about 16. D. Grover, Freemasons' Hotel, York-street.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply at the Tramway Terminus Hotel, Hunter-street.

WANTED, good HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID. Apply Tenby House, Wynyard-square, next Petty's.

WANTED, a WAITRESS, also a HOUSEMAID. 74, York-street, near King-street.

WANTED, a young MAN, to collect orders and deliver meat. Apply 385, George-street.

WANTED, DRAYMEN, must be accustomed to load timber. Hudson, Brothers, Regent-street, Redfern.

WANTED, a strong respectable Girl, as General SERVANT, to sleep at home for a time. 99, Macquarie-st., S.

WANTED, a respectable General SERVANT; small family. 116, Victoria-st. N., corner Albert and Victoria-st.

WANTED, a good COOK and Laundress. Apply 1, Pembroke-terrace, Wells-street West, Redfern.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL, for housework. Hall's Tavern Inn, George-street.

WANTED, Married Couples without encumbrance, Women Servants, Cooks, H. Ms., Girl. 204, Castlereagh-st.

WANTED, respectable ATTENDANT, for Children's Institution; Protestant. Miss Fowler, 215, Castlereagh-st.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply Mrs. Alpen, Derwent-street, Glebe.

WANTED, a BOY. G. Wilton, coal merchant, Ultimo Road.

WANTED, an Errand BOY, and to be useful. E. Carey, 71, Market-street.

WANTED, Generals, Young Nurse for two children, good Cook (Protestant). Veroll, 69, William-street.

WANTED, a KITCHENMAN; also, a WAITER. No. 11, Margaret-street.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. 105, Pitt-street, Redfern.

WANTED, a young GIRL. 18, Orwell-street, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, a young Girl as General SERVANT. Apply 103, Stanley-street.

WANTED, a COOK. The Hopes, opposite St. John's Church, Darlinghurst Road.

WANTED, good Plain COOK, female, under 30; references. Pembroke House, 180, Macquarie-street.

WANTED, a MAN, useful. Victoria Dining Rooms, 48 and 50, King-street.

WANTED, respectable GIRL, to nurse baby, and be useful. Mrs. Geo. Hayward, 425, Harris-st., Ultimo.

WANTED, experienced WAITERS, references required. Aarons' Exchange Hotel, Gresham-street.

WANTED, young Woman, as good plain COOK, enter service at once. Frankfort House, 56, Bridge-street.

WANTED, a MAN, to milk and deliver. Apply G. Gosden, Town Hall Hotel, King-street, Newtown.

WANTED, respectable tidy GIRL (14), for housework. 85, Goulburn-street.

WANTED, a strong YOUTH, to assist in wood and coal yard. J. Allen's, King-street, Newtown.

WANTED, two licensed DRIVERS, for waggonette bus. Mr. Foreman, Fotheringham-street, Stanmore.

WANTED, a competent PARLOURMAID; reference. Apply Mrs. Montague Levy, 64, Wynyard-square.

WANTED, a strong YOUTH, for store, &c., able to drive; wages, £1. Box 282, General Post Office.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. 443, Riley-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, a MAN, to clear a drain; small job. J. M'Laughlin, 565½, George-street.

WANTED, a BOY, to heat rivets. G. and C. Hoskins, Hay-street.

WANTED, a COOK. Apply 212, Clarence-street.

WANTED, a steady MAN, for night work, who understands horses. 545, George-street.

WANTED, young Girls, as General SERVANTS, Nurses. Mrs. Watson's Registry, Charlotte-st., Ashfield.

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